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Long Trip for a Taxicab.

The Poughkeepsie police have succeeded in apprehending Charles W. Smith, a former hobo of that city, who is wanted for grand larceny. Smith was located in Hartford, Conn. He is charged by Otto Ford his one time partner, with taking a taxicab purchase a year ago.

WARD READY TO SERVE FARMERS

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Washington, Jan. 17.—Congressman Charles B. Ward of the 27th district, who has been appointed as the only representative from New York state on the committee of agriculture, upon looking up the estimates of appropriations for the department of agriculture required for the service of the fiscal year ending June 30, 1917, finds that the total of estimates for 1917 reaches \$30,262,089 as compared with the sum of \$28,566,182, being the figures for the total appropriations for 1916. Thus it will be seen that there is an increase of \$1,696,907 in the estimates for 1917 as compared with the figures for 1916. The present congress makes the appropriations for the department for 1917 as the last congress did for the year of 1916.

The committee on agriculture in the work of which Congressman Ward is taking an active part, is one of the most important and busiest of the committees of congress.

Three of the bulletins issued recently by the U. S. department of agriculture might be of particular interest to some of the farmers of the district. They are, "Cottontail Rabbits in Relation to Trees and Farm Crops," "Duck Raising," and "Suggestions for Parcel Post Marketing."

Any of the above bulletins may be had by any one from Mr. Ward's district upon request to him, addressing him at Washington.

Now that congress has settled down after the holiday recess, the grave matters that will probably mark this congress as one of the most important in American history, will be acted upon. However, up to the present there has been but very little final action on any matters of importance with the exception of the re-enactment of the war revenue measure and the authorization of the purchase of war power bonds. If congress moves no faster with pending legislation than it has since the time of its convening on December 6, the much predicted extra long session will surely become a reality.

Parliament before congress are the great issues of the handling of our foreign affairs and that of preparedness. Early in the session it was pointed out by Congressman Ward to a number of his colleagues in the house that by the time the issue came to a vote the administration would be in need of Republican aid to put through his program of preparedness calling for enormous expenditures for the increase of army and navy. At the present time while the Democrats have only a majority of 24 in the house—where such bills must originate—and while it is estimated that about sixty Democrats from the south and west will bolt the defense bills as now outlined, the accuracy of this prediction is manifest.

The so-called "little navy" men are well organized and most enthusiastic in their efforts while it is a significant fact that there has been comparatively very little enthusiasm among the supporters of the administration. With Representative Kitchen, leader of the house Democrats, an out and out opponent of preparedness, and Senate Leader Kern lending no help to the program there is no official spokesman of the administration in congress who the advocates of the president's plan may look to. It follows that it is very evident that in the issue of national defense the Republicans must be reckoned with.

That the president is no longer able to hold in restraint discussion in congress regarding the international relations of this country incident to the European war was demonstrated in the U. S. senate last Wednesday when there was spirited debate over matters pertaining to exports of war materials, the government's neutrality policy and travel by American citizens. Reed, Democrat, of Missouri stood with Senator Lodge in opposing suggestions of an embargo on arms and defending American citizens in their rights to trade with belligerent powers; Senator Stone, chairman of foreign relations committee, tried in vain to curb the discussion. The discussion is looked upon as a forerunner of open consideration of the president's policy.

With the report of the murder of 18 Americans in Mexico matters have about come to a climax in the opposition in congress to the administration's plan of "watchful waiting." Many members of congress who for a long time have evidently tried to believe in the expediency of the president's attitude regarding Mexican affairs broke all bounds of restraint at news of the latest outrage and declared themselves in favor of intervention at once if that be the only way to protect American lives in Mexico.

While Senator Stone, chairman of the foreign relations committee, endeavored to defend the president's policy, Senator Borah of Idaho and Senator Gallinger of New Hampshire made spirited speeches in the senate, criticizing the course of the administration. A resolution has been introduced both in the senate and in the house calling for intervention if the Carranza government cannot protect American lives. Developments of vital interest to the country are looked for daily in the Mexican situation.

Firemen's Services Appreciated.

The Erie Railroad Company has sent a \$50 check to the Middletown Fire Department for services in a recent freight wreck.

Barge Canal Terminals Petition.

Newburgh's petition for barge canal terminals will be presented next week to Superintendent of Public Works Waterspoon.



YE ARTIST TAKES A SUNDAY ST ROLL ALONG BROADWAY.

ELECTRIC CO. ASKS FOR A COMMISSION

An application was made to Judge Hasbrouck at the special term of the supreme court at the court house Saturday by the Ulster Electric Light, Heat and Power Company of Saugerties for the appointment of a commission to assess damages for a right of way through the properties of Washburn Brothers Company, the Empire Brick and Supply Company, the Alpha Brick and Holding Company and Rudolph Haas, which right of way is needed by the electric company in order to complete its line from the village of Saugerties to the town line of the town of Ulster and there connect with the lines of the Kingston Gas & Electric Company in order to secure electric current direct from Hook Falls.

Senator Walton appeared for the Electric Company and the application, which was opposed by George F. Kaufman, counsel for the Washburn Brothers Company; Amos Van Etten, for the Alpha Brick and Holding Company, and Virgil B. Van Wagoner for Rudolph Haas. The issues raised will necessitate the appointment of a referee to determine whether a commission shall be appointed, and Judge Hasbrouck directed that the defendants file answers within two weeks, an order providing for the appointment of a referee to be submitted within that time.

Baer's Case Adjourned.

Abram Baer of No. 26 Chambers street, who chased his wife on Friday night with a butcher knife, was arrested on Saturday on a warrant sworn out by Mrs. Baer. According to her story her husband gave her on money to buy food and when he came home asked him for some to buy enough to eat to cook supper when the butcher knife entered the tale. This morning Abram appeared in recorder's court accompanied by Chris J. Flanagan, who Baer had retained as his lawyer. At Baer's request the trial was adjourned until next Monday. Baer was warned by Recorder Lang that unless he proved enough money to support his wife and children he would be arrested on a charge of non-support. Mrs. Baer claims she is afraid to live with him. Both parties are well known in recorder's court and this is not the first time their domestic difficulties have had an airing in police court.

Wins Highland Falls Bride.

News of the elopement of Miss Lena Graber, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Graber, of Highland Falls, and Edgar Bruner, a former bank employee of that village, became known Saturday. The young couple left Highland Falls on January 8th and were married that afternoon at Grantwood, N. J., where young Bruner's parents reside. The bride's mother was let into the secret and her brother was one of the witnesses to the ceremony.

Orr's Mills Oasis is Raided.

A half dozen farmhands were lodged in jail at Newburgh Saturday following a raid on the boarding-house of Joseph Klamire at Orr's Mills. There was a free-for-all fight under way when the officers arrived. The town of Cornwall is dry but there was liquor plenty at the Klamire house, it is alleged.

Ex-President Taft Coming Back.

A return visit to Poughkeepsie will be paid by Ex-President William H. Taft on the evening of Friday, January 21, when he will address the Poughkeepsie Branch of the American Red Cross Society on the subject "The Work of the Red Cross in Time of Peace."

Newburgh's Next Postmaster.

Newburgh will know its next postmaster this week, according to a Washington correspondent.

The Lid On in Newburgh.

Chief of Police Brown has given Newburgh saloons an ultimatum to close at midnight and remove screens.

26 WIN REGENTS CERTIFICATES

Regents preliminary certificates were earned by the following students in the rural schools of the First supervisory district in the June, 1915, examinations. The certificates have just been received from the state education department by District Superintendent Emily S. Burnett and will be presented to the 26 happy owners this week:

Walter Bodley, Rosendale.
Katherine Bryan, Rosendale.
William Cook, West Camp.
May Cox, Malden.
Veda E. Craig, Tillson.
Mildred DuBois, Bloomington.
Alice Freer, Tillson.
James Gallagher, Rosendale.
Esther Georgiana, Malden.
Ceel Haines, Cottekill.
Florence Hussong, West Camp.
Marguerite Kelder, Rosendale.
Francis Kelly, Rosendale.
Katherine Lapping, Rosendale.
George Magee, West Camp.
Katherine McLaughlin, Rosendale.
Marie Miller, West Camp.
Ida Niebergall, Creek Locks.
Ernest R. Paley, Cottekill.
Aaron Shultis, Eddyville.
Douglas D. Snyder, Cottekill.
Maude Helen Snyder, Rosendale.
Hazel Teetsel, Malden.
Luella Vanderbeck, Malden.
Leo Walsh, Rosendale.
Albert Worrell, Rosendale.

Basketball at Y. M. C. A.

Two fast games of basketball were staged in the gym of the Y. M. C. A. on Saturday evening. The first game was an exhibition game between Trinity M. E. Church and the Rondout Presbyterian Church, and was won by the latter by a score of 29 to 19. The Methodists were Cism, Gregory, U. D. Beckwith, Harold Beckwith, Elmendorf and Smith, while the Presbyterians were Craig, Miller, Gill, Meeker and Lezatte. There was also to be a game between the Clinton Avenue M. E. Church and the Albany Avenue Baptist Church, but the latter failed to appear and the game was forfeited to the Methodists. The Employed Boys were defeated by the Colonials by a score of 18 to 12. The Employed Boys were McAdie, Carpenter, Houghtaling, McCann and Port, while the Colonials were Hornbeck, Ryan, Duffy, Boyd and J. Boyd.

The basketball games in Student B. League on Saturday afternoon resulted as follows:

Peaches, 11; Cherries, 15.
Oranges, 8; Apples, 22.
Pears, 14; Oranges, 20.
In Student C League the games resulted as follows:
Elks, 8; Colonials, 10.
Crescents, 2; Eagles, 22.
Trojans, 42; Young Americans, 9.
Student C was defeated by the Miami Five in an exhibition game by a score of 8 to 5.

Contempt Proceedings.

A hearing was had before Judge Jenkins in county court chambers this morning in the matter of the application to punish Dr. John C. Gross of Phoenixia for contempt of court for failure to appear for examination in supplementary proceedings on the application of Gregory & Company, judgment creditor. After hearing Arthur C. Connelly, counsel for Gregory & Company, and Dr. Gross, Judge Jenkins directed the doctor to pay \$40 costs.

Cleary Now in Sing Sing.

Application of William V. Cleary, former Democratic boss of Haverstraw, for a certificate of reasonable doubt, was denied Saturday in Supreme Court at White Plains. Cleary was then taken to Sing Sing prison to begin his four to six years term.

Middletown Bridge Case Heard.

Public Service Commissioner Carr of the up state Public Service Commission heard testimony in New York Saturday on the needed repairs to the Erie railroad bridge at Oliver avenue, Middletown. Attorneys for the city and the railroad were given until February 1st to file briefs.

HIGH SCHOOL NEWS NOTES

Recently the biology pupils of room 39 organized a society to be known as "The Burroughs Junior Audubon Society," and elected the following officers: Honorary President, Miss Mauterstock; president, Edith Schryver; secretary, Marion Heffern; treasurer, Lester Yeomans.

Last Thursday afternoon at the close of school a team of the future stars in high school athletics called themselves, the Kingston High School Junior Basketball Team, dedicated the Student B team of the Y. M. C. A. by a score of 42 to 22. This team of younger fellows seem to be mimicking the playing of the varsity team and judging from what they do now the school need not fear the loss of the athletic supremacy she has gained and is maintaining.

The Junior Audubon Society has obtained Mr. Avis to tell in the high school auditorium on Wednesday evening, January 26, about our bird friends. This lecture and recital entitled "In Birdland" will begin at 8 o'clock. Mr. Avis's entertainment has been approved of by the great naturalist John Burroughs. The Brooklyn Institute of Art and Science and many others.

The high school pupils of any city, town or village in New York State which can boast of a savings bank are invited to compete in writing an essay on thrift for a prize of \$100. The prize is offered by the Savings Bank Association of the state of New York and is undoubtedly well worth the effort.

There are several rules regarding the typewriting and form of these essays and these have been placed on both the boys and girls bulletin boards.

The five most meritorious essays shall be awarded prizes. The first prize of \$100 has already been mentioned. The second is \$50. The third, \$25. The fourth, \$15. The fifth \$10.

The manual training department of the school is turning out some excellent work. For some time now the students have been able to carry off many exceptional trophies of their wood work. These articles are of such a character that several Kingstonsians visiting the department have marveled at their perfection and have had to see the students in the act of making them before they would cease to attribute the work to the instructor's own hand.

Mr. Service states that so much interest is shown by his pupils that he is seldom able to leave his department until long after twilight shadows have closed in upon us.

The agricultural classes recently took a trip through the Burgevin green houses and because of the great success of these expeditions there will be many other trips of interest and worth planned.

The next trip the manual training class will be to the Stock and Cordts. The purpose of this and the others is to give the students an idea of the industries in Kingston, to show them the practical application of what they are being taught, and a similar course is being followed in the wood working classes themselves as there the students are given a practical use for their geometry, and are shown how to apply the theory previously acquired.

It may be of interest to note that many engineering schools require manual training for entrance because of the practice it gives the students in applying their higher mathematics.

Last Friday evening the Debating Club held a dance in the high school gymnasium and the affair was a huge success financially and socially. Miller's orchestra furnished the music. The chaperones were Miss Parker and Miss Hull. A large number of the students' friends were present and enjoyed the evening with them.

Holy Cross Church.

The girls Friendly Society of Holy Cross Church will give a dance at the Parish House next Thursday, Jan. 29. These dances are very popular, and all are anticipating a very enjoyable evening. Good music and a large attendance is promised. Muller's orchestra.

DAY'S WAR NEWS AT A GLANCE

London—Reuter dispatch from Athens says Montenegrin government reported to have signed armistice with Austria.

Athens—Fifteen allied aeroplanes from Salonika bombarded Bulgarian camp on Serbo-Greek frontier. Number Bulgarian soldiers killed and wounded.

Berlin—Allies bombarded Lens. Snowstorms hindering operations on Russian front.

Constantinople—Five million dollars worth of booty captured by Turks when British evacuated Sedd el Bahr. Russians suffering heavy losses in Caucasus regions. Intermittent artillery fire near Kut el Amara, Mesopotamia.

MILK PRODUCERS BUY CREAMERY

By a deed filed this morning in the county clerk's office former Mayor John E. Kraft has become the owner of the fine property and extensive business of the Kingston Ice Cream and Dairy Company, on Downs streets in this city. Mr. Kraft will at once turn the property for use and business to the Kingston Milk Producers Creamery Inc., an association of dairymen who are now furnishing milk, consumed in the city.

The Dairymen's Association is organized under the special law passed by the legislature several years ago, under which many similar organizations are doing business throughout the state. The Kingston association was aided by suggestions from the Hon. John J. Dillon, state commissioner of markets, who is greatly interested in bringing the producer and consumer into direct dealings with one another, whereby a better condition will come about between the two.

The property and business in question has been owned and built up by Judge John G. Van Etten and Edward McGill, the principal stockholders of the old company for some years. The buildings are commodious, of the latest design for the business, and fully equipped with the latest and best machinery that can be installed. The addition of a pasteurizing plant, the plans for which have already been drawn, will make this one of the finest creameries in the state.

The milk situation in the whole state has for many years been in a bad way. In 1910 Attorney-General O'Malley reported to the governor the deplorable conditions existing at that time, and legislation has followed with a view to correcting the evils. Since Commissioner Dillon has been at the head of the Department of Foods and Markets he has been indefatigable in his efforts to aid effective organizations such as the one now in this city, whereby the products of the farmer will be properly standardized, the distribution thereof reduced to the minimum, and the best article sold to the consumer at the lowest possible price. The best evidence of this effort in the announcement of our dairymen that grade A pasteurized milk will be 8 cents a quart.

The new association is incorporated under the special law the directors being William A. Warren, George P. Dumond, Edward McSpirt, Matthew T. E. DeWitt, A. Otis Davis, John T. Cahill, Jacob Merritt, Abel Black and John E. Kraft.

AUGUSTUS NEWKIRK IS NOT DEAD

Through the misunderstanding of a telephone message from Saranac, in the Adirondacks, the family of Augustus H. Newkirk, formerly of this city, were notified of his death at that place on Sunday. They learned today that he is still alive but in a critical condition and his recovery is doubtful. Mr. Newkirk left Kingston about ten years ago, since when he was employed by B. Altman & Company until a month ago, when illness compelled him to leave his work and go to Saranac. Letters received from Saranac indicated that he was regaining his health, but word received from Saranac today, following the mistaken message of Sunday, states that he is in a precarious condition. Mr. Newkirk is a son of Mrs. Amelia Newkirk of No. 30 Warren street, this city, and a brother of William Newkirk, money order clerk at the uptown post office station; Miss Grace Newkirk and Miss Katherine Newkirk, both of this city, and John B. Newkirk of New York city. His wife is with him at Saranac.

Why Dr. Ellis Did Not Preach.

Sunday evening the pulpit of the Rondout Presbyterian Church was occupied by the Rev. Solomon T. Cole, who preached a masterly sermon. It was expected that the Rev. Dr. Charles G. Ellis, pastor of the church, would preach the second of the series of addresses based on the replies received from the men of Kingston regarding questions of religion, but during Sunday afternoon his young son, Charles, became quite ill and a physician who was summoned found that the boy had scarlet fever and the house was quarantined.

Arm Broken By a Fall.

Mrs. W. H. Lebert of No. 44 Hoffman street, a nurse, slipped on an icy walk on Albany avenue Saturday night and fractured her arm. Drs. Chandler and Quinlan set the broken bones.

DAY'S DOINGS IN CONGRESS

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Washington, Jan. 17.—House and senate met at noon.

House judiciary committee considered Buchanan impeachment resolution against H. Snowden Marshall, federal district attorney at New York.

House military affairs committee continued preparedness hearing with General Aleshire of the quartermaster's department on the stand.

House naval affairs committee continued examination of Rear Admiral Stanford of the bureau of yards and docks.

House insular affairs committee considered bill extending citizenship rights to residents of Porto Rico.

House mines and mining committee considered bill to codify and revise the mining laws.

House rivers and harbors, post offices and Indian affairs committees considered appropriation bills.

House rules committee began hearings on resolution to investigate usury charges against national banks.

Senate Indian affairs committee held hearings on Oliver resolution on oil land withdrawals in Oklahoma.

Senate resumed consideration of Philippines bill.

PRAYER MEETINGS TUESDAY EVENING

A large attendance is anticipated at the cottage prayer meetings Tuesday evening, January 18. The illness of some of the people at whose homes the meetings were to be held conflicts with the original plans but the following is a list of the residences at which the meetings will be held Tuesday:

First Ward.

E. L. Angle, 192 Clinton avenue.
DeWitt Roosa, 212 Fair street.
M. W. Snyder, 18 John street.
J. M. Fowler, 105 St. James street.

Second Ward.

F. B. Matthews, 238 Albany avenue.
Earl Simpson, 179 Elmendorf street.
Oscar Edwards, 356 Albany avenue.

Tenth Ward.

C. E. Nichols, 33 Van Buren street.
Mrs. J. Steen, 65 Henry street.
William Dietz, 147 Prospect street.
Mrs. E. M. Kniskern, Clinton avenue and Center street.

Eleventh Ward.

Harry Haines, 120 St. James street.
Albert Brown, 62 Fair street.

Twelfth Ward.

D. G. Atkins, 115 Main street.
H. B. Walker, 14 Warren street.
C. P. Hendricks, 202 Washington avenue.
C. Longyear, 346 Washington avenue.

SAUGERTIES.

Saugerties, Jan. 17.—Skating on the Esopus creek is enjoyed daily by many young folks.

Major Loomis of Ballston Spa will install the officers elect of the C. E. Hamlin Uniform Rank, No. 53, on Saturday evening, January 29th.

The Sunday school scholars of Mrs. John T. Washburn's graduating class of Trinity Episcopal Church on Sunday were the recipients of solid gold class pins.

Mrs. Reynolds of Rochester is visiting Mrs. Thomas Cole on Barclay Heights.

Frank E. Fuller of New York city is visiting his family on Main street.

Christ Hubert, proprietor of the South Side Hotel, is ill at his home.

Saugerties Concert Band at their recent dance the past week, cleared \$36.

Hoyt Overbush of Main street has returned from New York city.

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Goldie H. Bowman, Raymond S. Mower and wife, Jesse A. Mower and wife, all of the town of Saugerties, to Charles Suderley and Rudgar D. Suderley of the village of Saugerties, a tract of land in the town of Saugerties, in consideration of \$1.

Long Trip for a Taxicab.

The Poughkeepsie police have succeeded in apprehending Charles W. Smith, a former hackman of that city, who is wanted for grand larceny. Smith was charged in Hartford, Conn. He is located by Otto Boyd his one time partner, with taxicab \$190 given him with which to make a taxicab purchase a year ago.

WARD READY TO SERVE FARMERS

By Telegram to The Freeman.

Washington, Jan. 17.—Congressman Charles B. Ward of the 27th district, who has been appointed as the only representative from New York state on the committee of agriculture, upon looking up the estimates of appropriations for the department of agriculture required for the service of the fiscal year ending June 30, 1917, finds that the total of estimates for 1917 reaches \$30,262,089 as compared with the sum of \$28,566,182, being the figures for the total appropriations for 1916. Thus it will be seen that there is an increase of \$1,695,907 in the estimates for 1917 as compared with the figures for 1916. The present congress makes the appropriations for the department for 1917 as the last congress did for the year of 1916.

The committee on agriculture in the work of which Congressman Ward is taking an active part, is one of the most important and busiest of the committees of congress.

Three of the bulletins issued recently by the U. S. department of agriculture might be of particular interest to some of the farmers of the district. They are, "Cottontail Rabbits in Relation to Trees and Farm Crops," "Duck Raising," and "Suggestions for Parcel Post Marketing."

Any of the above bulletins may be had by any one from Mr. Ward's district upon request to him, addressing him at Washington.

Now that congress has settled down after the holiday recess, the grave matters that will probably mark this congress as one of the most important in American history will be acted upon. However, up to the present there has been but very little final action on any matters of importance with the exception of the re-enactment of the war revenue measure and the authorization of the purchase of water power sites. If congress moves no faster with pending legislation than it has since the time of its convening on December 6, the much predicted extra long session will surely become a reality.

Paramount before congress are the great issues of the handling of our foreign affairs and that of preparedness. Early in the session it was pointed out by Congressman Ward to a number of his colleagues in the house that by the time the issue came to a vote the administration would have been of Republican and to put through his program of preparedness calling for enormous expenditures for the increase of army and navy. At the present time while the Democrats have only a majority of 24 in the house—where such bills must originate—and while it is estimated that about sixty Democrats from the south and west will bolt the defense bills as now outlined, the accuracy of this prediction is manifest.

The so-called "little navy" men are well organized and most enthusiastic in their efforts while it is a significant fact that there has been comparatively very little enthusiasm among the supporters of the administration. With Representative Kitchen, leader of the house Democrats, an out and out opponent of preparedness, and Senate Leader Kern lending no help to the program there is no official spokesman of the administration in congress who the advocates of the president's plan may look to. It follows that it is very evident that in the issue of national defense the Republicans must be reckoned with.

That the president is no longer able to hold in restraint discussion in congress regarding the international relations of this country incident to the European war was demonstrated in the U. S. senate last Wednesday when there was spirited debate over matters pertaining to exports of war munitions, the government's neutrality policy and travel by American citizens. Reed, Democrat, of Missouri stood with Senator Lodge in opposing suggestions of an embargo on arms and defending American citizens in their rights to trade with belligerent powers; Senator Stone, chairman of foreign relations committee, tried in vain to curb the discussion. The discussion is looked upon as a forerunner of open consideration of the president's policy.

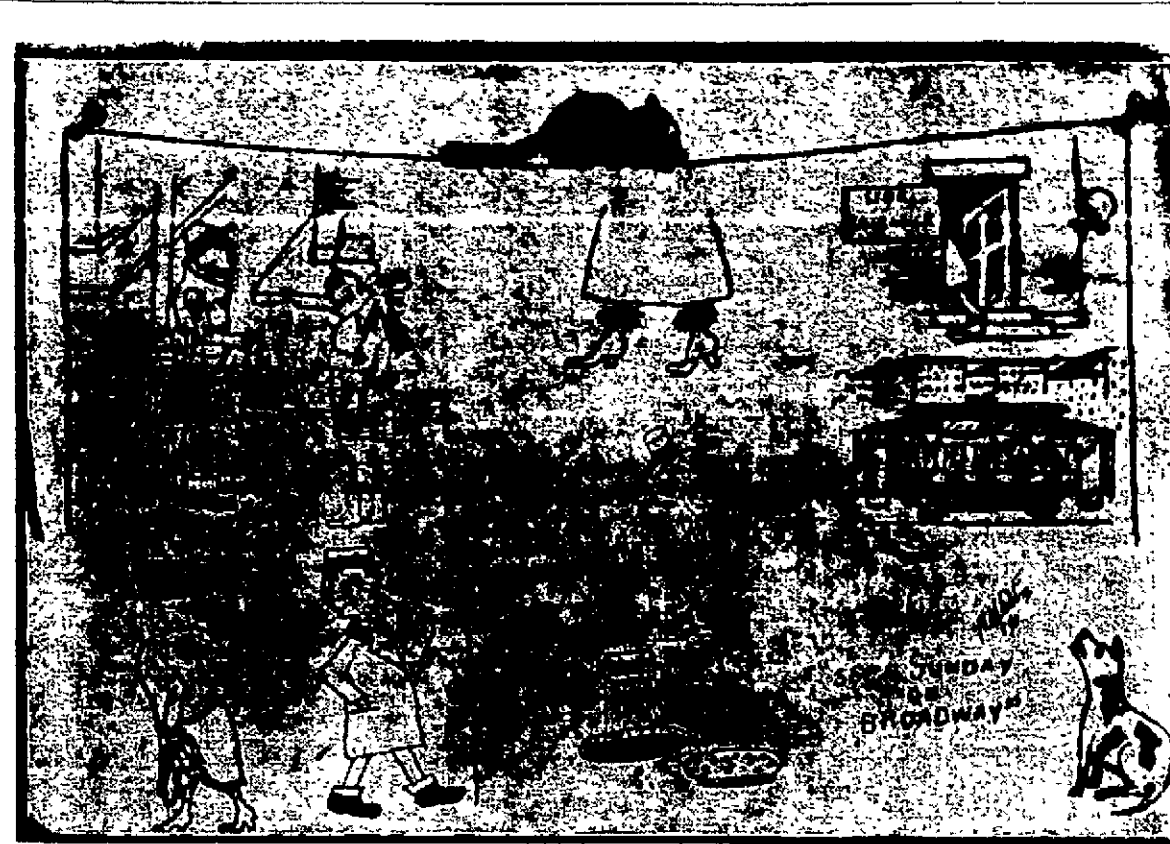
With the report of the murder of 18 Americans in Mexico matters have about come to a climax in the opposition in congress to the administration's plan of "watchful waiting." Many members of congress who for a long time have evidently tried to preserve the expediency of the president's attitude regarding Mexican affairs broke all bounds of restraint at news of the latest outrage and declared themselves in favor of intervention at once if that be the only way to protect American lives in Mexico. While Senator Stone, chairman of the foreign relations committee, endeavored to defend the president's policy, Senator Borah of Idaho and Senator Gallinger of New Hampshire made spirited speeches in the senate, criticizing the course of the administration. A resolution has been introduced both in the senate and in the house calling for intervention if the Carranza government cannot protect American lives. Developments of vital interest to the country are looked for daily in the Mexican situation.

Farmers' Services Appreciated.

The Erie Railroad Company has sent a \$50 check to the Middletown Fire Department for services in a recent freight wreck.

Barge Canal Terminal Petition.

Newburgh's petition for barge canal terminals will be presented next week to Superintendent of Public Works Waterspoon.



YE ARTIST TAKES A SUNDAY ST ROLL ALONG BROADWAY.

ELECTRIC CO. ASKS FOR A COMMISSION

An application was made to Judge Hasbrouck at the special term of the supreme court at the court house Saturday by the Ulster Electric Light, Heat and Power Company of Saugerties for the appointment of a commission to assess damages for a right of way through the properties of Washburn Brothers Company, the Empire Brick and Supply Company, the Alpha Brick and Holding Company and Rudolph Haas, which right of way is needed by the electric company in order to complete its line from the village of Saugerties to the town line of the town of Ulster and there connect with the lines of the Kingston Gas & Electric Company in order to secure electric current direct from Hook Falls.

Senator Walton appeared for the Electric Company and the application, which was opposed by George F. Kauffman, counsel for the Washburn Brothers Company; Amos Van Ethen, for the Alpha Brick and Holding Company, and Virgil E. Van Wagoner for Rudolph Haas. The issues raised will necessitate the appointment of a referee to determine whether a commission shall be appointed, and Judge Hasbrouck directed that the defendants file answers within two weeks, an order providing for the appointment of a referee to be submitted within that time.

Baer's Case Adjourned.

Abram Baer of No. 26 Chambers street, who chased his wife on Friday night with a butcher knife, was arrested on Saturday on a warrant sworn out by Mrs. Baer. According to her story her husband gave her on money to buy food and when he came home asked him for some to buy enough to eat to cook supper when the butcher knife entered the tale. This morning Abram appeared in recorder's court accompanied by Chris J. Flanagan, who Baer had retained as his lawyer. At Baer's request the trial was adjourned until next Monday. Baer was warned by Recorder Lang that unless he proved enough money to support his wife and children he would be arrested on a charge of non-support. Mrs. Baer claims she is afraid to live with him. Both parties are well known in recorder's court and this is not the first time their domestic difficulties have had an airing in police court.

Wins Highland Falls Bride.

News of the elopement of Miss Lena Graber, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Graber, of Highland Falls, and Edgar Hunkle, a former bank employee of that village, became known Saturday. The young couple left Highland Falls on January 8th and were married that afternoon at Grantwood, N. J., where young Hunkle's parents reside. The bride's mother was let into the secret and her brother was one of the witnesses to the ceremony.

Orri's Mills Oasis is Raided.

A half dozen farmhands, were lodged in jail at Newburgh Saturday following a raid on the boarding house of Joseph Klamire at Orri's Mills. There was a free-for-all fight under way when the officers arrived. The town of Cornwall is dry but there was liquor plenty at the Klamire house, it is alleged.

Ex-President Taft Coming Back.

A return visit to Poughkeepsie will be paid by Ex-President William H. Taft on the evening of Friday, January 21, when he will address the Poughkeepsie Branch of the American Red Cross Society on the subject "The Work of the Red Cross in Time of Peace."

Newburgh's Next Postmaster.

Newburgh will know its next postmaster this week, according to a Washington correspondent.

The Lid On in Newburgh.

Chief of Police Brown has given Newburgh saloons an ultimatum to close at midnight and remove screens.

26 WIN REGENTS CERTIFICATES

Regents preliminary certificates were earned by the following students in the rural schools of the First supervisory district in the June, 1915, examinations. The certificates have just been received from the state education department by District Superintendent Emily S. Burnett and will be presented to the 26 happy owners this week:

Walter Bodley, Rosendale.
Katherine Bryan, Rosendale.
William Coons, West Camp.
May Cox, Malden.
Veda E. Craig, Tillson.
Mildred DuBois, Bloomington.
Alice Freer, Tillson.
James Gallagher, Rosendale.
Esther Georgiana, Malden.
Cecil Haines, Cottekill.
Florence Hussong, West Camp.
Marguerite Kelder, Rosendale.
Francis Kelly, Rosendale.
Katherine Lannin, Rosendale.
George Magee, West Camp.
Katherine McLaughlin, Rosendale.
Marie Miller, West Camp.
Ida Niebergall, Creek Locks.
Ernest R. Palen, Cottekill.
Aaron Shultis, Eddyville.
Douglas D. Snyder, Cottekill.
Maude Helen Snyder, Rosendale.
Hazel Tetsell, Malden.
Luella Vanderbeck, Malden.
Leo Walsh, Rosendale.
Elbert Worrell, Rosendale.

Basketball at Y. M. C. A.

Two fast games of basketball were staged in the gym of the Y. M. C. A. on Saturday evening. The first game was an exhibition game between Trinity M. E. Church and the Roundout Presbyterian Church, and was won by the latter by a score of 20 to 19. The Methodists were Clsm. Gregory, U. D. Beckwith, Harold Beckwith, Elmendorf and Smith, while the Presbyterians were Craig, Miller, Gill, Meeker and Lezarte. There was also to be a game between the Clinton Avenue M. E. Church and the Albany Avenue Baptist Church, but the latter failed to appear and the game was forfeited to the Methodists. The Employed Boys were defeated by the Colonials by a score of 18 to 12. The Employed Boys were McCord, Carpenter, Houghtaling, McCann and Port, while the Colonials were Hornbeck, Ryan, Duffy, Boyd and J. Boyd. The basketball games in Student B. League on Saturday afternoon resulted as follows:

Peaches, 11; Cherries, 15.
Oranges, 8; Apples, 22.
Pears, 14; Oranges, 20.
In Student C League the games resulted as follows:
Elks, 8; Colonials, 10.
Crests, 3; Eagles, 22.
Trojans, 42; Young Americans, 9.
Student C was defeated by the Miami Five in an exhibition game by a score of 8 to 5.

Contempt Proceedings.

A hearing was had before Judge Jenkins at county court chambers this morning in the matter of the application to punish Dr. John C. Gross of Phoenicia for contempt of court for failure to appear for examination in supplementary proceedings on the application of Gregory A. Company, judgment creditor. After hearing Arthur C. Connelly, counsel for Gregory A. Company, and Dr. Gross, Judge Jenkins directed the doctor to pay \$40 costs.

Clearly Now in Sing Sing.

Application of William V. Cleary, former Democratic boss of Haverstraw, for a certificate of reasonable doubt, was denied Saturday in Supreme Court at White Plains. Cleary was then taken to Sing Sing prison to begin his four to six years term.

Middletown Bridge Case Heard.

Public Service Commissioner Carr of the up state Public Service Commission heard testimony in New York Saturday on the needed repairs to the Erie railroad bridge at Oliver avenue. Middletown, Attorneys for the city and the railroad were given until February 1st to file briefs.

HIGH SCHOOL NEWS NOTES

Recently the biology pupils of room 30 organized a society to be known as "The Burroughs Junior Audubon Society," and elected the following officers: Honorary President, Miss Maulerstock; president, Edith Schryver; secretary, Marion Heffern; treasurer, Lester Yeomans.

Last Thursday afternoon at the close of school a team of the future stars in high school athletics were called themselves, the Kingston High School Junior Basketball Team, defeated the Student B team of the Y. M. C. A. by a score of 42 to 22. This team of younger fellows seem to be mimicking the playing of the varsity team and judging from what they do now the school need not fear the loss of the athletic supremacy she has gained and is maintaining.

The Junior Audubon Society has obtained Mr. Avis to tell in the high school auditorium on Wednesday evening January 19, about our bird friends. This lecture and recital entitled "In Birdland" will begin at 8 o'clock. Mr. Avis's entertainment has been approved of by the great naturalist John Burroughs. The Brooklyn Institute of Art and Science and many others.

The high school pupils of any city, town or village in New York State which can boast of a savings bank are invited to compete in writing an essay on thrift for a prize of \$100. The prize is offered by the Savings Bank Association of the state of New York and is undoubtedly well worth the effort.

There are several rules regarding the typewriting and form of these essays and these have been placed on both the boys and girls bulletin boards.

The five most meritorious essays shall be awarded prizes. The first prize of \$100 has already been mentioned. The second is \$50. The third, \$25. The fourth, \$15. The fifth \$10.

The manual training department of the school is turning out some excellent work. For some time now the students have been able to carry off many exceptional trophies of their wood work. These articles are of such a character that several Kingstonians visiting the department have marveled at their perfection and have had to see the students in the act of making them before they would cease to attribute the work to the instructor's own hand.

Mr. Service states that so much interest is shown by his pupils that he is seldom able to leave his department until long after twilight shadows have closed in upon us.

The agricultural classes recently took a trip through the Burzevin green houses and because of the great success of these expeditions there will be many other trips of interest and worth planned.

The next trip the manual training class will be to the Stock and Cordts. The purpose of this and the others is to give the students an idea of the industries in Kingston, to show them the practical application of what they are being taught, and a similar course is being followed in the wood working classes themselves as there the students are given a practical use for their geometry, and are shown how to apply the theory previously acquired.

It may be of interest to note that many engineering schools require manual training for entrance because of the practice it gives the students in applying their higher mathematics.

Last Friday evening the Debating Club held a dance in the high school gymnasium and the affair was a huge success financially and socially. Miller's orchestra furnished the music. The chaperones were Miss Parker and Miss Hull. A large number of the students' friends were present and enjoyed the evening with them.

Holy Cross Church.

The girls Friendly Society of Holy Cross Church will give a dance at the Parish House next Thursday, Jan. 20. These dances are very popular, and all are anticipating a very enjoyable evening. Good music and a large attendance is promised. Muller's orchestra.

DAY'S WAR NEWS AT A GLANCE

London—Reuter dispatch from Athens says Montenegro government reported to have signed armistice with Austria.

Athens—Fifteen allied aeroplanes from Salonika bombarded Bulgarian camp on Serbo-Greek frontier. Number Bulgarian soldiers killed and wounded.

Berlin—Allies bombarded Lens. Snowstorms hindering operations on Russian front.

Constantinople—Five million dollars worth of booty captured by Turks when British evacuated Sedd el Bahr. Russians suffering heavy losses in Caucasus regions. Inter-mittent artillery fire near Kut el Amara, Mesopotamia.

MILK PRODUCERS BUY CREAMERY

By a deed filed this morning in the county clerk's office former Mayor John E. Kraft has become the owner of the line property and extensive business of the Kingston Ice Cream and Dairy Company, on Downs street in this city. Mr. Kraft will at once turn the property for use and business to the Kingston Milk Producers' Creamery Inc., an association of dairymen who are now furnishing milk, consumed in the city.

The Dairymen's Association is organized under the special law passed by the legislature several years ago, under which many similar organizations are doing business throughout the state. The Kingston association was aided by suggestions from the Hon. John J. Dillon, state commissioner of markets, who is greatly interested in bringing the producer and consumer into direct dealings with one another, whereby a better condition will come about between the two.

The property and business in question has been owned and built up by Judge John G. Van Ethen and Edward McGill, the principal stockholders of the old company for some years. The buildings are commodious, of the latest design for the business, and fully equipped with the latest and best machinery that can be installed. The addition of a pasteurizing plant, the plans for which have already been drawn, will make this one of the finest creameries in the state.

The milk situation in the whole state has for many years been in a bad way. In 1910 Attorney-General O'Mally reported to the governor the deplorable conditions existing at that time, and legislation has followed with a view to correcting the evils. Since Commissioner Dillon has been at the head of the Department of Foods and Markets he has been indefatigable in his efforts to aid effective organizations such as the one now in this city, whereby the products of the farmer will be properly standardized, the distribution thereof reduced to the minimum, and the best article sold to the consumer at the lowest possible price. The best evidence of this effort in the announcement of our dairymen that grade A pasteurized milk will be 8 cents a quart.

The new association is incorporated under the special law the directors being William A. Warren, George P. Dumond, Edward McSpirt, Matthew T. E. DeWitt, A. Otis Davis, John T. Cahill, Jacob Merrill, Abel Black and John E. Kraft.

AUGUSTUS NEWKIRK IS NOT DEAD

Through the misunderstanding of a telephone message from Saranac, in the Adirondacks, the family of Augustus H. Newkirk, formerly of this city, were notified of his death at that place on Sunday. They learned today that he is still alive but in a critical condition and his recovery is doubtful. Mr. Newkirk left Kingston about ten years ago, since when he was employed by B. Altman & Company until a month ago, when illness compelled him to leave his work and go to Saranac. Letters received from Saranac indicated that he was regaining his health, but word received from Saranac today, following the mistaken message of Sunday, states that he is in a precarious condition. Mr. Newkirk is a son of Mrs. Amelia Newkirk of No. 30 Warren street, this city, and a brother of William Newkirk, money order clerk at the uptown post office station; Miss Grace Newkirk and Miss Katherine Newkirk, both of this city, and John B. Newkirk of New York city. His wife is with him at Saranac.

Why Dr. Ellis Did Not Preach.

Sunday evening the pulpit of the Roundout Presbyterian Church was occupied by the Rev. Solomon T. Cole, who preached a masterly sermon. It was expected that the Rev. Dr. Charles G. Ellis, pastor of the church, would preach the second of the series of addresses based on the replies received from the men of Kingston regarding questions of religion, but during Sunday afternoon his young son, Charles, became quite ill and a physician who was summoned found that the boy had scarlet fever and the house was quarantined.

Arm Broken By a Fall.

Mrs. W. H. Lebert of No. 44 Hoffman street, a nurse, slipped on an icy walk on Albany avenue Saturday night and fractured her arm. Drs. Chandler and Quinlan set the broken bones.

DAY'S DOINGS IN CONGRESS

By Telegram to The Freeman.

Washington, Jan. 17.—House and senate met at noon.

House judiciary committee considered Buchanan impeachment resolution against H. Snowden Marshall, federal district attorney at New York.

House military affairs committee continued preparedness hearing with General Aleshrie of the quartermaster's department on the stand.

House naval affairs committee continued examination of Rear Admiral Stanford of the bureau of yards and docks.

House insular affairs committee considered bill extending citizenship rights to residents of Porto Rico.

House mines and mining committee considered bill to codify and revise the mining laws.

House rivers and harbors, post offices and Indian affairs committees considered appropriation bills.

House rules committee began hearings on resolution to investigate usury charges against national banks.

Senate Indian affairs committee held hearings on Oliver resolution on oil land withdrawals in Oklahoma. Senate resumed consideration of Philippines bill.

PRAYER MEETINGS TUESDAY EVENING

A large attendance is anticipated at the cottage prayer meetings Tuesday evening, January 18. The illness of some of the people at whose homes the meetings were to be held conflicts with the original plans but the following is a list of the residences at which the meetings will be held Tuesday:

First Ward.
E. L. Angle, 192 Clinton avenue.
DeWitt Roosa, 212 Fair street.
M. W. Snyder, 18 John street.
J. M. Fowler, 105 St. James street.

Second Ward.
F. B. Matthews, 238 Albany avenue.
Earl Simpson, 179 Elmendorf street.
Oscar Edwards, 356 Albany avenue.

Tenth Ward.
C. E. Nichols, 33 Van Buren street.
Mrs. J. Steen, 65 Henry street.
William Dietz, 147 Prospect street.
Mrs. E. M. Kniskern, Clinton avenue and Center street.

Eleventh Ward.
Harry Haines, 120 St. James street.
Albert Brown, 62 Fair street.

Twelfth Ward.
H. G. Atkins, 115 Main street.
D. B. Walker, 147 Warren street.
C. P. Hendricks, 202 Washington avenue.
C. Longyear, 346 Washington avenue.

SAUGERTIES.

Saugerties, Jan. 17.—Skating on the Esopus creek is enjoyed daily by many young folks.

Major Loomis of Ballston Spa will install the officers elect of the C. E. Hamlin Uniform Rank, No. 53, on Saturday evening, January 29th.

The Sunday school scholars of Mrs. John T. Washburn's graduating class of Trinity Episcopal Church on Sunday were the recipients of solid gold class pins.

Mrs. Reynolds of Rochester is visiting Mrs. Thomas Cole on Barclay Heights.

Frank E. Fuller of New York city is visiting his family on Main street.

Christ Hubert, proprietor of the South Side Hotel, is ill at his home.

Saugerties Concert Band at their recent dance the past week, cleared \$26.

Hort Overbach of Main street has returned from New York city.

Miss Katherine Eckert of Middletown is visiting her parents on Livingston street.

Deputy Grand Chancellor W. C. Onley will install the officers of Walkhill Valley Lodge, K. of P., New Paltz, Tuesday evening, January 18.

Miss Ruth Maxwell of John street is ill at her home with measles.

Mrs. Gordon Meyer and son, Richard, have returned to Seneca Falls, after a visit with her mother on John street.



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LEIBHARDT TRUANT LEFT ONLY TRACKS

Rochester Truant Officers' Bastille Couldn't Keep Peter Lattimore in Duress, Sheriff Slater Declines to Go on the Trail and Peter is Still Going.

Wilson Addis of Granite, truant officer of the town of Rochester, and a terror to all bad boys in that town, stands six feet six inches in height, is as broad as a wagon box, can run like a deer, and a man of nery truth and gritty veracity, fearless and powerful. Mr. Addis' principal duty in winter is to keep truant boys in school.

Now it seems that Peter Lattimore, of Leibhardt, a boy about sixteen years old, has somewhat outgrown his fear of the school law and for the past winter has been giving the truant officer more or less trouble so Mr. Addis decided that once for all he would put an end to that matter for Peter's own sake and as an object lesson to others. Accordingly, he went to Leibhardt, got on Peter's track, and in a day or two caught him. They started for Granite and every boy who saw them pass through Leibhardt was mighty glad just then that he wasn't Peter. They reached Granite long after dark and Mr. Addis placed Peter safely in the second story of his house for the night. Then he went to Justice Friend H. Sheldon and asked the judge to convene court early the next morning as he had a case of truancy for him to determine. Mr. Sheldon said he would hold court at nine o'clock.

The usual large audience had gathered to hear the case. The time arrived, but not the officer and the boy. An investigation soon disclosed the fact that when Mr. Addis went to the second story room to get the boy to take him to court that Peter was gone. An open window and tracks in the snow was all the explanation needed. The truant officer was furious. Lucky for Peter that many miles lay between them. The only thing for Mr. Addis to do in order to maintain his reputation was to overtake Peter. A happy thought occurred to him. He would go to Accord, secure the aid of Lewis B. Slater, the sheriff of the Shawangunks, who gained considerable notoriety in the famous Rock Hill school case about a year ago.

But when Sheriff Slater was approached he did not seem to be at all interested and then became highly indignant. He pointed out to the truant officer that his business was to take men to court and not boys; that the case in hand was boys work and that if Mr. Addis wanted any help he would advise him to get Constable John Bush, his assistant, who had just taken office on January first, to whom he was giving lessons, and that this would make a good experience for Bush. Bush was secured and the truant officer and the constable once more started out for Leibhardt in search of Peter but so far no reports have been heard from them.

Spencer's School Notes.

Arthur L. Jones, a graduate of the stenographic department, has secured a good position as stenographer with the State of New York National Bank, corner Wall and John streets.

Miss Veltina Hill and Miss Minnie Plathaber passed successfully at the stenographic examination last Friday. All students are making rapid strides in their studies this year, the new up-to-date methods recently introduced at Spencer's being an incentive for hard work.

Several graduates of the different departments have secured good situations during the past two weeks. Their names and the commercial houses by which they are employed will appear in the local press in due course of time.

The school is enjoying a very heavy enrollment of bright, ambitious students. During the school year one hundred and fifty young men and women have enrolled in the three departments. Nearly thirty students are attending the evening sessions.

The demand for competent Spencer's graduates is greater than the supply of young men and women. Positions for three young men stenographers are now open with no one to recommend. More young men stenographers will be needed for spring positions.

Sammons & Keefe Incorporate.

Harvey C. Sammons of 169 Henry street and Andrew Keefe of 291 Washington avenue have filed articles of incorporation in the county clerk's office, they intending to do business in Ulster and Orange counties under the name of Sammons and Keefe.

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FEDERATION HEARS OF PRISON REFORM

Because the Social Center Association, which was to entertain the Federation of Women's Clubs at its quarterly general meeting on Saturday afternoon, had secured as the chief speaker, Mrs. Anna P. L. Field of Brooklyn, who has been giving of herself and her means for prison reform work in this state, the chapel of the First Reformed Church was filled with eager listeners for this address. Mrs. Howard Gillespie of Saugerties, one of the board of directors of the state federation, also spoke, giving some necessary information of special interest to the federation members, and there were brief reports given. The addresses were followed by the serving of afternoon tea, by the entertaining club.

Mr. C. K. Moulton, president of the Kingston Federation, presided at the meeting. Mrs. Grace Van Buren Grey, secretary, read the minutes of the last quarterly meeting, and also spoke of the recent special federation meeting, when reports of delegates to the state conference were heard. Her report was accepted as was that of the treasurer, Mrs. Frank Merritt.

The need of a second vice-president for the federation had been previously considered, and Mrs. W. Scott Gillespie was unanimously elected to this office for the remainder of the year.

Brief committee reports were given as follows: Mrs. W. Scott Gillespie of the Sunshine Society told of a financial balance to the credit of that organization of \$185.70. As there had been several new members added to the society, and there was such general interest in its work, all were much encouraged. Pleas for aid, especially financial aid, put in the papers were responded to almost immediately. Owing to the generous contributions for the Christmas bazaar, the society had been able to give more liberally to its needy than ever before, and all gifts had been received with sincere appreciation. Much clothing had been received and distributed where most wanted. Many men applying for work had been referred to the Bureau of Social Service and in nearly every case the work had been secured. With the increasing years of many whom the society carry sunshine to, the burdens of the society increase as do their privileges for serving.

Mrs. Fessenden, chairman of the Social Center Association, told of the activities of that body. The Wednesday, Friday and Saturday classes are now affiliated with the Monday Class, while Mrs. Grey, assisted by Miss Van Keuten, have charge of the Tuesday class. From 50 to 75 children are learning, not only to sew, but under the influence of the general spirit at the Federation House are gaining much that will be helpful to them in the hard lives that inevitably stretch before them. Mrs. Fessenden told of the New Year's celebration for the children, given at the Federation House. In the absence of Mrs. Van Hoevenberg, chairman of the Federation House committee, Mrs. Fessenden told of the improved condition of affairs at the house, since Miss Betz, the visiting tuberculosis nurse, had taken up her residence and office there. Her niece is now taking entire care of the Day Nursery, which was said to be well worth a visit from the federation women or the public, at any time. The young ladies of the Monday Afternoon Sewing Club had been redecorating the three Day Nursery rooms, and the girls in Miss Scott's class—the Saturday evening class in which Mrs. Moulton acts as chaperon secured enough funds from their recent dance given at the high school, to have the "Board Room," where these girls hold their Saturday evening meetings, re-decorated, as was greatly needed. Mrs. Fessenden stated that the receipt of many games, in answer to the appeal in The Freeman, had materially helped to solve the entertainment feature of the Saturday evenings at the Federation House. There is still another need; that of magazines, especially home magazines, and those having articles on good house-keeping, wholesome stories, etc. By passing along any such magazines to the Federation House, when they have been

read in the homes, real assistance to others can be given.

Dr. Day, chairman of the Public Health Committee, told of the work done by the committee in assisting in the recent very successful Red Cross Christmas Seal sale, making it possible for the Tuberculosis Committee to continue the efficient and important services of Miss Betz, for a considerable period of time. Dr. Day, however, devoted the time allotted to her to telling of the proposed "Baby Week," in March. She read the same letter which has been published in The Freeman, and on her request, the Federation expressed pleasure in granting Dr. Day the use of the "Board Room" at the Federation House, for the Child Welfare Exhibit which will be conducted by the doctor and Miss Betz during this "Baby Week."

Mr. Michael for the Political Equality Club, reported the news of their work as appearing before the public in all newspapers and magazines, and said that in spite of defeat at the last election, they were by no means dead, but still alive and enthusiastic.

Mrs. Howard Gillespie of Saugerties, a member of the Board of Directors of the State Federation, was then introduced, and gave an excellent talk on many matters relative to the effective working of our women in clubs, societies, local and state federations. The efficient work which this Third District under the chairmanship of Mrs. Fessenden, could accomplish, was shown to need both the moral and pecuniary support of all clubs and federations in the district. Mrs. Gillespie made the following practical recommendations: that the Kingston Federation Federation should make such financial contribution to the fund for the district work, as was possible; that they should so appreciate the honor of New York state, at New York city, holding the national biennial convention next spring, as to contribute their proper quota both in funds and the offer of services; that all club women should procure both the Federation Year Book, and the magazine. Mrs. Gillespie made vital many facts that though important for the success of Federation work, are all too often ignored.

Probably no woman present will ever forget the address given by Mrs. Anne P. L. Field, on "Prison Reform."

At the close of her address, Dr. Day asked the speaker if, then, she believed in treating criminals as though they were normal human beings. The answer was instant, that she did not, any more than she believed in treating persons physically diseased as though they were physically normal. She believed in segregation for wrong-doers, and in punishment, but in punishment that should be educational and remedial; constructive, not destructive. And no human being should be treated as it would be impossible to treat an animal these days, without the rightful interference of both humane societies and society at large.

In telling of how she became interested, then active and now devoted to this cause of the outcast, Mrs. Field told the whole story of the present prison reform movement as inaugurated and carried forward by Thomas Mott Osborne, who was a college classmate and friend of her husband. As president of a Woman's Civic Club of Brooklyn, the speaker became first generally interested in prison reform, and succeeded in getting Mr. Osborne to address that club. The fifty women who listened to Mr. Osborne from three to seven p. m., would never forget that afternoon, and Mrs. Field, "stabbed broad awake," became in 1914 a member of the Mutual Welfare League of the Prisons of New York. Doubtless because of her poise as well as depth of interest, over a year ago, Mr. Osborne invited her to visit his home and family in Auburn for five days (during which time he would be free) that she might know for herself the life at Auburn prison. Her husband readily consented to the visit and arriving at the Osborne home on Saturday, she first visited Auburn prison on a Sunday morning. In reply to her inquiry of Mr. Osborne as to why he had asked her, he told her she seemed peculiarly fitted for the work, and if she would take with the men at all she would take instantly and would never go back from the work. Otherwise she would have to go back home and embroider.

Accompanied by Mr. Osborne, she entered the prison, when some fifteen hundred men were assembled for a Sunday service, conducted by a Russian priest. The only woman in the room, she was separated from

this body of convicts, only by a brass railing, and the men were that day, for the first, under their own guard. Mrs. Field described the experience as "volcanic." Just as they took their places on the steps, a man upon the stage drew aside the curtains, and at sight of Mrs. Field, faltered, stepped back and disappeared. A little later, an attendant came and quietly spoke to Mr. Osborne, who seemed much concerned, and asked Mrs. Field if it would mind being left for a few moments. She thought of the "embroidery," and bravely answered, "not at all." Before Mr. Osborne's return, the service was concluded, and that great body, in squads of fifty or sixty men, began marching toward her, quite naturally all eyes upon her. Just at first it seemed like standing upon the edge of a precipice, but then, nothing untoward happening, the speaker learned forever the uselessness of fear of these men, who are after all, men.

Returning, Mr. Osborne showed traces of deep emotion, and told Mrs. Field, that the man who had drawn the curtains, and saw her suddenly, was "Canada Blackie," the most desperate criminal in the state. Her resemblance to his mother was so close, that the man whom neither torture nor solitary confinement could conquer, had utterly collapsed. This was Mrs. Field's introduction to "Canada Blackie," although he would not consent to meet her face to face, until some time after, knowing what an ordeal such a meeting would be. Mrs. Field considered the talk which she finally had with this criminal, (come from a mother of refinement and a father of intelligence but brutality when intoxicated), a man who might have been a genius because of the keenness of his mentality, alone in the warden's room at Auburn prison, to be the most extraordinary talk of her life. Standing on the brink of the grave, for during solitary confinement under conditions which would match those of many a Russian exile, "Canada Blackie" had lost the sight of one eye (due to lack of light) and contracted tuberculosis of the throat and joints, this talk went to the elemental basis of everything in life. For lack of something real to do, such a would content the live mind of a keen-witted boy, daring and wrong-doing full of excitement started this man at the early age of seven, on the downward path. He was an educated and a clever criminal whose desperate career might have been changed, if just once, "some one had cared."

After a period of solitary confinement at Dannemora, wherein the man nearly lost his reason, he was finally returned to Auburn, and here Mr. Osborne, visiting the prison one day, stopped at his cell, put his hand through the bars and offered to shake hands. There was good excuse for Blackie's response, "What are you? One of those damned reformers?" Then relenting he shook hands with Mr. Osborne who proved to be the first person in many years who had spoken a kind word to him. So complete was Mr. Osborne's winning of the man, that soon after he gave him something for the warden, which proved to be a key to his cell which he had made, no one could ever know how and an ugly knife, which he had intended to use in one more dash for freedom. Later Mr. Osborne visited this man in his cell and they talked of prison reform, and the inside knowledge of this man proved of great value. Later he was made an assistant sergeant-at-arms of the league, and was elected a delegate and placed on the executive committee. He became a great power for good in Auburn prison.

When the wardenship of Sing Sing was offered Mr. Osborne, he consulted with this man, who, with the voice of a prophet, told him that he dare not do otherwise than accept; that in spite of all that he would surely have to endure from the hands of his enemies, he was bound to give his life for the lives of the men in the prisons, and Mr. Osborne accepted. Mrs. Field made other visits to Auburn prisons, learning to know Canada Blackie and his pals, looking at and listening to the woman, one realized what an influence she must have exerted, for she did not exact perfection; she did "understand." When this prisoner became too ill to be about, he was brought to Sing Sing, Mr. Osborne then being warden, where he lived for three months in a little room on the third floor of Mr. Osborne's home, attended by two pals, as nurses. Here Mrs. Field, in her effort to make up for the nineteen years of mothering which the man had missed, visited him daily and for the last three weeks spent almost the entire part of each day with him, helping to care for him in his awful illness. She said in all sincerity and simplicity, that never in her life had she been treated with such courtesy and reverence, as during her stay at Sing Sing.

Finally Canada Blackie, pardoned by Governor Whitman and a free man, died, and according to his wishes his body was cremated, that it might be a menace to no one else. Under the new regime, the first funeral service ever held at Sing Sing was held on Palm Sunday, when Blackie's ashes, placed in an exquisitely inlaid box, the work of one of the prison men, was taken to the chapel, and a short but intensely impressive service was held. On the following Sunday, Easter, a memorial service was held at Auburn, where the man was best known and loved; a service, which stood for the resurrection of all that is good. As the fourteen hundred prisoners carried the ashes to Fort Hill Cemetery, where they found their final resting place, and stood there singing, "Lead Kindly Light, Amid the Encircling Gloom," it seemed indeed prophetic of a new era in the treatment of the outcast.

In closing, she told of going to New England to address a body of Gloucester fishermen about her work. As she went she was continually trying to think of some adequate Christmas message for "her boys." As usual she was much spent with her address, and sought refuge, for a brief period, in the cottage of a friend, a poet of note today. That respite brought a message in verse which was later sent to every man in our state prisons.

In the Same Class.
Tale bearers, as I said before, are just as bad as tale makers.—Sheridan.

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The masque is to be performed out of doors on a large scale next May as the climax of a city wide festival, and will be more ambitious and inclusive than anything of the kind the city has heretofore attempted. Six thousand people will take part in the performance, and a huge receptacle has been arranged that will be placed back of the stage to make the acoustic conditions perfect.

The Shakespeare celebration was incorporated to stimulate and co-ordinate the spontaneous local festivals which will be held in New York next spring. Its incorporators are Miss Mary Porter Beegle, Mrs. Ben Ali Haggin, Mrs. W. Forbes Morgan, Jr., Mrs. Percy Mackey and Miss Kate Oglebay.



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Wilson Addis of Granite, truant officer of the town of Rochester, and a terror to all bad boys in that town, stands six feet six inches in height, is as broad as a wagon box, can run like a deer, and a man of nifty truth and gritty veracity, fearless and powerful. Mr. Addis' principal duty in winter is to keep truant boys in school.

Now it seems that Peter Lattimore, of Leibhardt, a boy about sixteen years old, has somewhat outgrown his fear of the school law and for the past winter has been giving the truant officer more or less trouble. Mr. Addis decided that once for all he would put an end to that matter for Peter's own sake and as an object lesson to others. Accordingly, he went to Leibhardt, got on Peter's track, and in a day or two caught him. They started for Granite and every boy who saw them pass through Leibhardt was mighty glad just then that he wasn't Peter. They reached Granite long after dark and Mr. Addis placed Peter safely in the second story of his house for the night. Then he went to Justice Friend H. Sheldon and asked the judge to convene court early the next morning as he had a case of truancy for him to determine. Mr. Sheldon said he would hold court at nine o'clock.

The usual large audience had gathered to hear the case. The time arrived, but not the officer and the boy. An investigation soon disclosed the fact that when Mr. Addis went to the second story room to get the boy to take him to court that Peter was gone. An open window and tracks in the snow was all the explanation needed. The truant officer was furious. Lucky for Peter that many miles lay between them. The only thing for Mr. Addis to do in order to maintain his reputation was to overtake Peter. A happy thought occurred to him. He would go to Accord, secure the aid of Lewis B. Slater, the sheriff of the Shawangunks, who gained considerable notoriety in the famous Rock Hill school case about a year ago.

But when Sheriff Slater was approached he did not seem to be at all interested and then became highly indignant. He pointed out to the truant officer that his business was to take men to court and not boys; that the case in hand was not a boy's work and that if Mr. Addis wanted any help he would advise him to get Constable John Bush, his assistant, who had just taken office on January first, to whom he was giving lessons, and that this would make a good experience for Bush. Rush was secured and the truant officer and the constable once more started out for Leibhardt in search of Peter but so far no reports have been heard from them.

Spencer's School Notes.

Arthur L. Jones, a graduate of the stenographic department, has secured a good position as stenographer with the State of New York National Bank, corner Wall and John streets.

Miss Veltana Hill and Miss Minnie Planthaber passed successfully at the stenographic examination last Friday. All students are making rapid strides in their studies this year, the new up-to-date methods recently introduced at Spencer's being an incentive for hard work.

Several graduates of the different departments have secured good situations during the past two weeks. Their names and the commercial houses by which they are employed will appear in the local press in due course of time.

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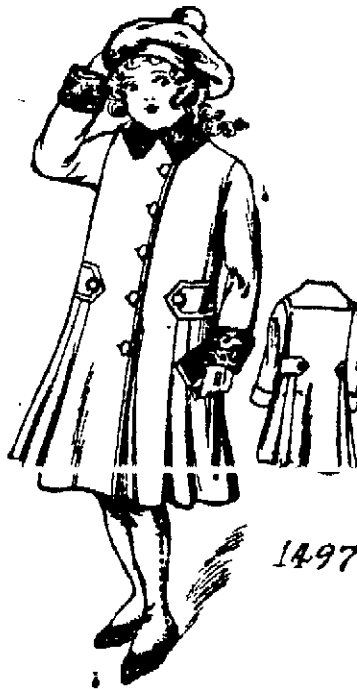
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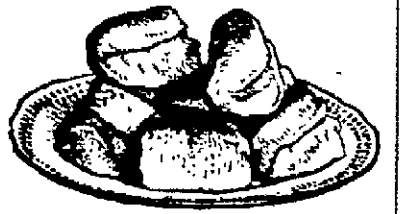
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KINGSTON, N. Y., JAN. 17, 1916.

No reasonable exception can be taken to Carranza's promise to hunt down and execute the murderers of Americans, nor to his request that our Government exercise patience in view of the difficulties which confront him. It is an old saying that a stitch in time saves nine. Our Administration neglected to take the first stitch, but waited watchfully to see how many more would eventually be needed. Now the whole nine—and then some—are required, and the job cannot be done in a moment. The main question is whether Carranza can succeed at all. No doubt he will try his best, especially since he must be aware that our Congress is evidently disposed to take the matter out of the hands of the complaisant Wilson. Watchful waiting was a pretty bad policy when first introduced, but at the present moment it is the only procedure open to us.

Somewhat left-handed, but none the less emphatic, is the tribute given newspaper pulling powers by promoters of the Panama-Pacific Exposition. Now that the doors of the big show have been closed and the accounts audited the discovery is made that the policy adopted in neglecting newspaper advertising was the rankest kind of failure and one which materially diminished receipts. In brief, this policy was another of those constant efforts to get something for nothing. The exposition managers sought to get free advertising and to revert to slang, this absurd idea proved them the greatest pikers that ever originated on the Pacific side of Pike's Peak. Their assumption that the patriotic pride of publishers was to result in the gift of several millions of dollars worth of the space that makes pay-rolls possible proved an absolute error, exactly as the aforesaid publishers had stated in the beginning. The exposition people put out a lot of free matter which they were successful in unloading upon a number of newspapers, but papers who accepted this matter, for the most part, were unable to give very wide publicity to the cause. The moral is obvious.

In the vaudeville of crime, the Mann "White Slave" Act is just now supplying the greatest degree of popular interest. Skillful use of this great, moral statute by a well organized gang of blackmailers is the limit for downright audacity. The fear of publicity was the chief weapon employed, once the victim had been detected in trips over the State line with female companions. Other stage accessories such as forged warrants and impersonations of Department of Justice Officials were simple. The extent to which this modern variation of the old "badger game" was operated reflects anything but credit upon the Federal Department of which a resourceful gang has made such a conspicuous cat paw. Two wrongs cannot make a right but at the same time only moderate sympathy will be expressed for the victims. In their pleasure excursions of the future, they will do well to keep within either this State or the married state. Thus only may they be assured of safety from the powers that prey under the Mann Act.

Whatever changes may have been brought about by gasoline-propelled vehicles, it is a safe assertion that no office in the State government has been so affected by them as that of the Secretary of State. Exactly what duties occupied the attention of the incumbent years ago before automobiles pursued their licensed ways, it is difficult to recall. But in any event, today all is different. Any odor of sanctity that may have hung about the office then has now a distinct trace of gasoline. Not only is that true of the routine business, but the Secretary of State is also in almost constant attendance at banquets of automobile clubs in various parts of the State. The issuing of license tags and listening to the claims of applicants ambitious to secure certain special license numbers must also require no small degree of patience. In short, the office calls for qualities which Job and Lucius combined could with difficulty have equalled. Our sympathy is with Secretary Hugo in the trials and tribulations which beset his

office through the popularity of the automobile.

Like unto the prophet, the Ulster County apple is not without honor save in its own country. Ask the man in the street where the best apples come from. Like as not, he'll say California. Or, if a reader of advertisements, he may cite the Wenatchee Valley and Hood River regions in Oregon in answer to the question. Should you tell him that his native county of Ulster produced even superior fruit of incomparable flavor, your friend, doubtless, would stare at you in blank astonishment. Yet the records bear out the statements. Proof of good fruit, like that of pudding, is in the eating thereof. Take the Panama-Pacific Exposition where New York State won most points in the nation-wide competition on apples. Ulster fruit had a prominent part in this triumph and, in addition, has carried off prizes at the State Fair and at State Fruit Growers' exhibits. Home people would do well to acquaint themselves with the merits of home products. New York State has far more material upon which to base fruit-boosting campaigns than any other State in the Union but its people are usually too busy doing something else to pay any attention to this fact.

A LOVER OF TAXES.

Writes a Defense of the Tax Rate for 1916.

Editor Freeman:
When an administration which has been conducted for two years upon the platform of "honesty, economy and efficiency," is faced by an increased tax rate, it is but fair that citizens should analyze the causes for themselves and rally to the support of the administration. Of course, we are all familiar with the sound of the pre-election hysteria relative to future lowering of tax rates, and seldom does anyone anticipate any same results, for only now and then are conditions such that an administration is strong enough to accomplish a lowering of expenses. It is, on the contrary, almost invariably added appropriations and increased salaries, and justly so, for they are always found to be absolutely necessary. The arguments produced prior to elections have their proper values and purposes and their intent is doubtless praiseworthy, but they result in their fulfillment about the same as the average of all pre-election promises—good reasons are conveniently found for not carrying them out.

It is to be noted, however, in our latest tax, that the budget "includes outstanding and unpaid bills," which is a refreshing novelty, although on other thought, a wholly commendable and eminently fitting feature of a tax levy, and worthy of the imitation of other cities. It also includes the sum of \$12,000 for bonds—an unusual feature for this year only. Besides it must be remembered that the budget comprehends the expense for 13 months instead of 12 months as heretofore, although the school budget of approximately \$123,000 will be in evidence again in August of this year. True, many of the items in the budget are increased by reason of the additional month, but the following may justly be charged with a pro rata increase (the fire fund of \$25,000, and the civil service fund of \$500, and certain other funds being identical with prior 12 months appropriations) to-wit:

General Fund	\$ 24,450
Public Works	117,000
Salaries	16,400
Police	33,612
Charities	23,651
Plumbing	2,055

or a pro rata increase of about \$17,475 due to the additional month's expenses. But we also get the reward of collecting twice in this tax year on the mortgage tax, instead of once as heretofore, an increased receipt of about \$1,800, as well as twice on the tax upon bank shares, a further addition of about \$13,900, making but \$15,700 increased receipts for the 13 months as against an increased expense of about \$17,475, due to the extra month. This may account for the advance in the rate or, possibly, closer analysis might disclose other reasons, chargeable to some cause beyond our reach. The mayor would seem to me to be unwise in discouraging analysis and comparisons of our taxes with those of other cities, for just as his comparison with Poughkeepsie upon the per capita basis shows us how fortunate we are in our taxes, so might a like comparison with Schenectady, Watervliet, Binghamton and Albany, upon the same basis instead of upon valuation as he gives it to us, show a like desirable result. Our people should be well satisfied indeed in the knowledge that all expenses of the city for the coming year are safely within the budget, and in the thought that the expedient of increasing our assessments will not have to be resorted to again for some years at least. The bipartisan completion of the present administration, rather than the usual ultra-partisan administration of city affairs, is doubtless entitled to the credit for this accomplishment, and indicates a wonderful progress toward that much desired result, the elimination of politics and parties from municipal government.

A LOVER OF TAXES.
January 12, 1916.

Catskill Aqueduct Cracks.
A number of fine cracks have developed in the Catskill aqueduct, Manhattan. The cracks start in the rock north of West Twenty-fourth street and extend about two blocks. To repair the damage will involve an expenditure of about \$75,000 and about two months' labor, according to Commissioner Straus.

World's Biggest Y. M. C. A.
The West Side branch of the Young Men's Christian Association, New York city, is now the largest branch in the world, having a membership of 7,114. This represents an increase of 900 for the year.

LITTLE LAUGHS.

"Mrs. Giddigad's baby cried the other day when she wanted to take it from the nurse a moment." "Yes, the poor little dear is afraid of strangers."—Judge.

Artist—"Mr. Gibbs, I would like in painting this portrait to study your wife's face in repose." Patron—"Then you'll never get a speaking likeness."—Baltimore American.

Hub—"Things were awfully dull in the stock market today. Absolutely nothing doing." Wife—"Why don't you mark some of the stock down and advertise a bargain sale?"—Boston Transcript.

"If I had my way," said the positive woman, "I'd make every unmarried man pay a special tax." "What would be the use?" rejoined Miss Cayenne. "Any man who can dodge matrimony would surely succeed in dodging his taxes."—Washington Star.

Old Lady—"So, William, you've come back to us wounded. I hear. How did it happen?" William—"Shell, mum." Old Lady—"A shell! Oh, dear, dear! And did it explode?" William—"Explode, mum? Not likely. It just crept softly up behind—and bit me!"—Punch.

Logic.

Charles M. Schwab, congratulated in his native Loretto on a war contract, said modestly: "This success was due to our organization. We only hire, you know, men that are not to be had. Or, as Mr. Morgan put it when a branch told him they couldn't spare a certain man: 'I only take the kind of men who can't be spared.'"

"Yes," Mr. Schwab went on, "there was a lot of truth in the reasoning of the countryman who walked up to the box office of a fashionable Broadway theater and said: 'Have you got two front row orchestra seats, center the aisle, for tonight?'"

"Yes, sir," said the salesman. "Keep 'em, then," said the countryman. "The show can't be no good."—New York Telegraph.

Not an Omission.

Mrs. Benton tasted the savory morsel she had carefully compounded in the chafing dish and looked at her husband somewhat apprehensively. Then she said:

"Somehow it doesn't taste just as Mrs. Mink's did the other night. Yet I think I remembered the recipe all right. I suppose I must have left something out."

Mrs. Benton tasted reflectively. Mrs. Benton's face brightened visibly. Then her husband continued: "There's nothing you could leave out," he said, "that would make it taste like this. It's something you've put in!"—New York Telegraph.

Belonged to the Band.

Florence Moore, the popular actress, tells a story of the war in Europe that bears the stamp of originality.

"A few soldiers belonging to a part of a Swiss regiment in garrison at Basle went to a certain cafe for refreshments. One sat down at a table alone. Later a civilian, a German, joined him and the two began to talk war politics."

"Would you shoot the Germans if they invaded Switzerland?" asked the German.

"Oh never!" exclaimed the soldier.

"Waiter, a pint of beer and a beefsteak for this brave man," ordered the civilian.

"And your pals sitting at the next table, would they also not shoot the Germans if they tried to invade this country?"

"Oh, no, never," retorted the Swiss.

"Waiter, a glass of beer for each of the soldiers at the next table," ordered the civilian.

"And addressing again the soldier he asked: 'Is this the view generally held in the Swiss army in regard to a possible German invasion? Are all the Swiss soldiers so Germanophilic?'"

"I don't know," replied the soldier.

"But why would you not shoot the Germans?"

"Because we belong to the band."—Albany Knickerbocker Press.

TWENTY AND TEN YEARS AGO.
January 16, 1896.—Death of Edward Cockburn at Mt. Pleasant, aged 82.

Patrick Dunn had both legs broken by earth caving in on him at Jockey Hill.

Mission established on Railroad avenue by Col. Hadley.

Announcement of death in Ireland of the Rev. Father Goodwin, formerly of Ellenville.

17.—Supervisors met and organized, electing Victor Shultis of Bearsville, chairman, and C. K. Loughran, clerk of the board.

George R. Styles, Harry Carr and William Weston returned from a hunting trip in North Carolina.

January 16, 1906.—Judge and Mrs. Parker attended a family reunion at the home of his mother in Derby, Conn.

17.—Mr. and Mrs. Nash H. Eldridge celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary at their home on Hasbrouck avenue.

Miss Jessie L. Decker and Charles Delaney married at the home of the bride in Ellenville.

Barn of Arthur Munson at Kerhonkson destroyed by fire.

Couldn't Find Free Cots.

"No, John, you were misinformed when someone told you there were free cots to be found on the upper floors of the city hall where a poor man carrying too much liquid refreshment could find repose for his weary body for the night." That was the information in substance that the officer who arrested John Hoffman, 55 years old, at 3 o'clock this morning told John when making the arrest. John was found drunk wandering around on the second floor of the city hall. Last morning John informed the recorder that a former mayor had told him once upon a time that if ever he needed a place to sleep he would find a number of cots in the city hall that the charitable people of the city

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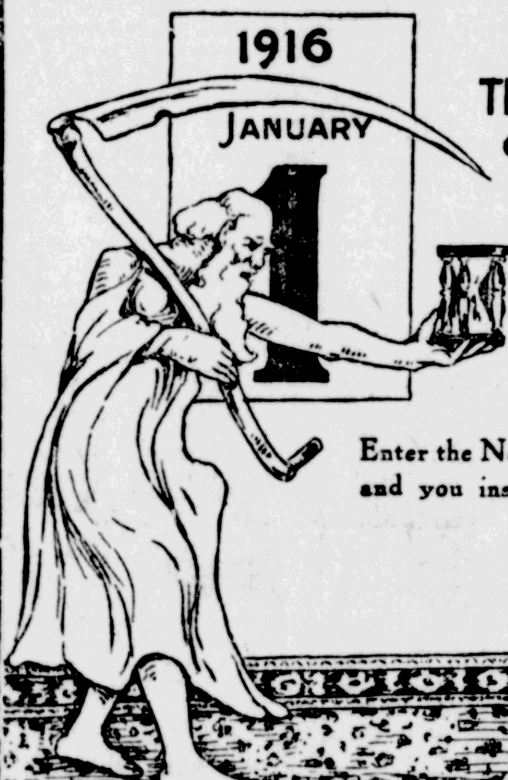
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had equipped for the use of poor old drunks or homeless hoboes. John is a well known character around town and his favorite hangout, according to the police, is a saloon. As this was the first time he has been arrested and as he promised to make a gallant effort to stay aboard the water wagon, he was discharged with a reprimand by Recorder Lang.

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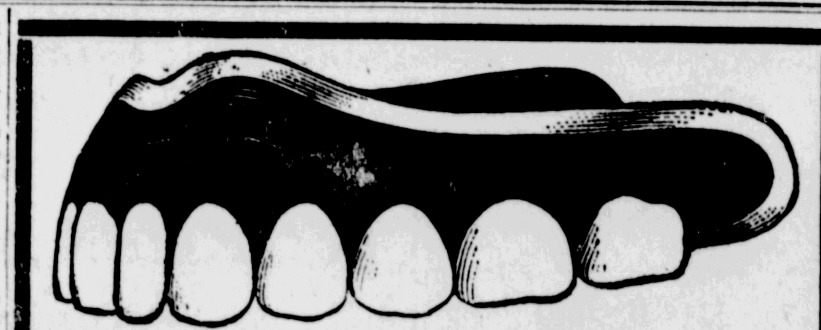
The board of directors of the Home-Seeker's Co-Operative Savings and Loan Association have declared a dividend at the rate of 6 1/2 per cent for the year ending January 1, 1916. The annual report shows the association to be in a flourishing condition, there being about 400 more shares of stock outstanding now, than there was a year ago. During the year 15th series of stock, amounting to over \$32,000, matured, and 16th series will mature in a few months. The association has 600 stockholders, holding 3,761 shares of stock, the total value of which is over \$200,000. A new series of stock opens on February 7 and subscriptions are now being received at the secretary's office, No. 23 Broadway.

KERHONKSON.

Kerhonkson, Jan. 17.—At the regular meeting of the Kerhonkson Chapter, No. 9,492, Epworth League, held in the M. E. Church on Tuesday evening, the election of officers took place, which resulted in the following being chosen for the ensuing year: President, M. Christiana; first vice-president, D. Roy Hendrickson; second vice-president, David Burgher; third vice-president, Hazel Munson; fourth vice-president, Clarence Cross; secretary, Alta Christiana; secretary, Nancy Hornbeck; organist, Hazel Munson; assistant organist, Olive Wells.

A measuring social will be held in the M. E. Church on Wednesday evening, January 19. In the evening a free entertainment will be given by the young people.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Christiana of Cottekill are spending some time with



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his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Christiana. Mrs. J. Wells and daughter, Olive, spent a few days with friends in Kingston the past week.

Nancy Hornbeck spent Thursday in Ellenville.

On Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. William Addis delightfully entertained Mr. and Mrs. A. Christiana of Cottekill, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Graves and daughter, Miss Alta Christiana, Clarence Cross and Gordon Jansen.

Wilma White spent Friday in Kingston.

Mary Husk visited Kingston on Thursday.

Uncle Nathan, a farmer —Clarence Cross
Aunt Debby his wife —Alta Christiana
Harold Vane, a city nephew —David Burgher

Charlotte, his wife Olive Wells
A play will be given in the Reformed Church in the near future.

Women's Work Society Meeting.
The Women's Christian Work Society of the Wurts Street Baptist Church will hold its annual meeting and election of officers in the Sunday school hall on Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 19, at 3 o'clock. This meeting was adjourned from last week on account of the heavy storm. All of the women of the church are invited to be present.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Walter N. Gill, Surrogate of Ulster County, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against Tamer Meeker, late of the City of Kingston, County of Ulster, deceased, testate, to present the same with the vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned, Benjamin R. Tallmadge and Virgil B. Van Wagonen, the Executors of the estate of said deceased, at the office of V. B. Van Wagonen, 32 Main St., Kingston, in the said County of Ulster, New York, on or before the 1st day of February, 1916.

Dated July 28, 1915.
BENJAMIN R. TALLMADGE,
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Dated July 1915, 1915.
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Executor, etc. of Tamer Meeker, deceased.
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5.00 value.....	3.33
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1.75 value.....	1.17
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12 1/2c Pillow Cases, 45x36 size, full bleached, good soft finish, extra special.....	10c
15c Pillow Cases.....	12 1-2c
29c Pillow Cases.....	19c
59c Hemmed Sheets, 81x90 size, bleached, with flat center seam. Soft finish and extra special.....	39c
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1.00 Tub Silk, 36 inches wide, special.....	85c
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50c White Cotton Blankets.....	39c
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2.50 Beacon Blankets.....	1.98
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At Less Than Today's Cost of Production
At 10c
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300 Pairs of Lace Curtains at 98c Pair

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White Sale Special.....

98c

Other January White Sale

Specials on Lace Curtains

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1.50 Curtains, special.....	98c
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FEDERATION HEARS OF PRISON REFORM

Because the Social Center Association, which was to entertain the Federation of Women's Clubs at its quarterly general meeting on Saturday afternoon, had secured as the chief speaker, Mrs. Anna P. L. Field of Brooklyn, who has been giving of herself and her means for prison reform work in this state, the chapel of the First Reformed Church was filled with eager listeners for this address. Mrs. Howard Gillespie of Saugerties, one of the board of directors of the state federation, also spoke, giving some necessary information of special interest to the federation members, and there were brief reports given. The addresses were followed by the serving of afternoon tea, by the entertaining club.

Mrs. C. K. Moulton, president of the Kingston Federation, presided at the meeting. Mrs. Grace Van Buren Grey, secretary, read the minutes of the last quarterly meeting, and also spoke of the recent special federation meeting, when reports of delegates to the state conference were heard. Her report was accepted as was that of the treasurer, Mrs. Frank Merritt.

The need of a second vice-president for the federation had been previously considered, and Mrs. W. Scott Gillespie was unanimously elected to this office for the remainder of the year. Brief committee reports were given as follows. Mrs. W. Scott Gillespie of the Sunshine Society told of a financial balance to the credit of that organization of \$155.70. As there had been several new members added to the society, and there was such general interest in its work, all were much encouraged. Plans for an especially financial aid, put in the papers were responded to almost immediately. Owing to the generous contributions for the Christmas baskets, the society had been able to give more liberally to its needy than ever before, and all gifts had been received with sincere appreciation. Much clothing had been received and distributed where most wanted. Many men applying for work had been referred to the Bureau of Social Service and in nearly every case the work had been secured. With the increasing years of many whom the society carry sunshine to, the burdens of the society increase as do their privileges for serving.

Mrs. Fessenden, chairman of the Social Center Association, told of the activities of that body. The Wednesday Friday and Saturday classes are now affiliated with the Monday Class, while Mrs. Grey, assisted by Miss Van Keuren, have charge of the Tuesday class. From 50 to 75 children are learning, not only to sew, but under the influence of the general spirit at the Federation House are gaining much that will be helpful to them in the hard lives that inevitably stretch before them. Mrs. Fessenden told of the New Year's celebration for the children, given at the Federation House. In the absence of Mrs. Van Haren, chairman of the Federation House committee, Mrs. Fessenden told of the improved condition of affairs at the house, since Miss Betz, the visiting tuberculosis nurse, had taken up her residence and office there. Her niece is now taking entire care of the Day Nursery, which was said to be well worth a visit from the federation women or the public, at any time. The young ladies of the Monday Afternoon Sewing Club had been redecorating the three Day Nursery rooms, and the girls in Miss Scott's class—the Saturday evening class in which Mrs. Moulton acts as chaperon—secured enough funds from their recent dance given at the high school, to have the "Board Room," where these girls hold their Saturday evening meetings, redecorated, as was greatly needed. Mrs. Fessenden stated that the receipt of many games, in answer to the appeal in The Freeman had materially helped to solve the entertainment feature of the Saturday evenings at the Federation House. There is still another need, that of magazines, especially home magazines, and those having articles on good house-keeping, wholesome stories, etc. By passing along any such magazines to the Federation House, when they have been

read in the homes, real assistance to others can be given.

Dr. Day, chairman of the Public Health Committee, told of the work done by the committee in assisting in the recent very successful Red Cross Christmas Seal sale, making it possible for the Tuberculosis Committee to continue the efficient and important services of Miss Betz, for a considerable period of time. Dr. Day, however, devoted the time allotted to her to telling of the proposed "Baby Week," in March. She read the same letter which has been published in The Freeman, and on her request, the Federation expressed pleasure in granting Dr. Day the use of the "Board Room" at the Federation House, for the Child Welfare Exhibit which will be conducted by the doctor and Miss Betz during this "Baby Week."

Mrs. Michael for the Political Equality Club, reported the news of their work as appearing before the public in all newspapers and magazines, and said that in spite of defeat at the last election, they were by no means dead, but still alive and enthusiastic.

Mrs. Howard Gillespie of Saugerties, a member of the Board of Directors of the State Federation, was then introduced, and gave an excellent talk on many matters relative to the effective working of our women in clubs, societies, local and state federations. The efficient work which this Third District, under the chairmanship of Mrs. Fessenden, could accomplish, was shown to need both the moral and pecuniary support of all clubs and federations in the district. Mrs. Gillespie made the following practical recommendations, that the Kingston Federation should make such financial contribution to the fund for the district work, as was possible; that they should so appreciate the honor of New York state, at New York city, holding the national biennial convention next spring, as to contribute their proper quota both in funds and the offer of services; that all club women should procure both the Federation Year Book, and the magazine. Mrs. Gillespie made vital many facts that though important for the success of Federation work, are all too often ignored.

Probably no woman present will ever forget the address given by Mrs. Anna P. L. Field, on "Prison Reform."

At the close of her address, Dr. Day asked the speaker if, then, she believed in treating criminals as though they were normal human beings. The answer was instant, that she did not, any more than she believed in treating persons physically diseased as though they were physically normal. She believed in segregation for wrong-doers, and in punishment, but in punishment that should be educational and remedial, constructive, not destructive. And no human being should be treated as it would be impossible to treat an animal these days, without the rightful interference of both humane societies and society at large.

In telling of how she became interested, then active and now devoted to this cause of the outcast, Mrs. Field told the whole story of the present prison reform movement, as inaugurated and carried forward by Thomas Mott Osborne, who was a college classmate and friend of her husband.

As president of a Women's Club of Brooklyn, the speaker became first generally interested in prison reform, and succeeded in getting Mr. Osborne to address that club. The fifty women who listened to Mr. Osborne from three to seven p. m., would never forget that afternoon, and Mrs. Field, "stabbed broad awake," became in 1914 a member of the Mutual Welfare League of the Prisons of New York. Doubtless because of her poise as well as depth of interest, over a year ago, Mr. Osborne invited her to visit his home and family in Auburn for five days (during which time he would be free) that she might know for herself the life at Auburn prison. Her husband readily consented to the visit and arriving at the Osborne home on Saturday, she first visited Auburn prison on a Sunday morning. In reply to her inquiry of Mr. Osborne as to why he had asked her, he told her she seemed peculiarly fitted for the work, and if she would take with the men at all she would take instantly and would never go back from the work. Otherwise she would have to go back home and embroider.

Accompanied by Mr. Osborne, she entered the prison, when some fifteen hundred men were assembled for a Sunday service, conducted by a Russian priest. The only woman in the room, she was separated from

this body of convicts, only by a brass railing, and the men were that day, for the first, under their own guard. Mrs. Field described the experience as "volcanic." Just as they took their places on the steps, a man upon the stage drew aside the curtains, and at sight of Mrs. Field, faltered, stepped back and disappeared. A little later, an attendant came and quietly spoke to Mr. Osborne, who seemed much concerned, and asked Mrs. Field if she would mind being left for a few moments. She thought of the "embroidery," and bravely answered, "not at all." Before Mr. Osborne's return, the service was concluded, and that great body, in squads of fifty or sixty men, began marching toward her, quite naturally all eyes upon her. Just at first it seemed like standing upon the edge of a precipice, but then, nothing toward happening, the speaker learned forever the needlessness of fear of these men, who are after all, men.

Returning, Mr. Osborne showed traces of deep emotion, and told Mrs. Field, that the man who had drawn the curtains, and saw her suddenly, was "Canada Blackie," the most desperate criminal in the state. Her resemblance to his mother was so close, that the man whom neither torture nor solitary confinement could conquer, had utterly collapsed. This was Mrs. Field's introduction to "Canada Blackie," although he would not consent to meet her face to face, until some time after, knowing what an ordeal such a meeting would be. Mrs. Field considered the talk which she finally had with this criminal, (come from a mother of refinement and a father of intelligence but brutality when intoxicated) a man who might have been a genius because of the keenness of his mentality, alone in the warden's room at Auburn prison, to be the most extraordinary talk of her life. Standing on the brink of the grave, for during solitary confinement under conditions which would match those of many a Russian exile, "Canada Blackie" had lost the sight of one eye (due to lack of light) and contracted tuberculosis of the throat and joints, this talk went to the elemental basis of everything in life. For lack of something real to do, such as would content the live mind of a keen-witted boy, daring and wrong-doing full of excitement started this man at the early age of seven, on the downward path. He was an educated and a clever criminal whose desperate career might have been changed, if just once, "some one had cared."

After a period of solitary confinement at Dannemora, wherein the man nearly lost his reason, he was finally returned to Auburn, and here Mr. Osborne, visiting the prison one day, stopped at his cell, put his hand through the bars and offered to shake hands. There was good excuse for Blackie's response, "What are you? One of those damned reformers?" Then relenting he shook hands with Mr. Osborne who proved to be the first person in many years who had spoken a kind word to him. So complete was Mr. Osborne's winning of the man, that soon after he gave him something for the warden, which proved to be a key to his cell which he had made, no one will ever know how, and an ugly knife, which he had intended to use in one more dash for freedom. Later Mr. Osborne visited this man in his cell and they talked of prison reform, and the inside knowledge of this man proved of great value. Later he was made an assistant sergeant-at-arms of the league, and was elected a delegate and placed on the executive committee. He became a great power for good in Auburn prison.

When the wardenship of Sing Sing was offered Mr. Osborne, he consulted with this man, who, with the voice of a prophet, told him that he dare not do otherwise than accept; that in spite of all that he would surely have to endure from the hands of his enemies, he was bound to give his life for the lives of the men in the prisons, and Mr. Osborne accepted. Mrs. Field made other visits to Auburn prisons, learning to know Canada Blackie and his pals, looking at and listening to the woman, one realized what an influence she must have exerted, for she did not exact perfection; she did "understand." When this prisoner became too ill to be about, he was brought to Sing Sing, Mr. Osborne then being warden, where he lived for three months in a little room on the third floor of Mr. Osborne's home, attended by two pals, as nurses. Here Mrs. Field, in her effort to make up for the nineteen years of mothering which the man had missed, visited him daily and for the last three weeks spent almost the entire part of each day with him, helping to care for him in his awful illness. She said in all sincerity and simplicity, that never in her life had she been treated with such courtesy and reverence, as during her stay at Sing Sing.

Finally Canada Blackie, pardoned by Governor Whitman and a free man, died, and according to his wishes his body was cremated, that it might be a menace to no one else. Under the new regime, the first funeral service ever held at Sing Sing was held on Palm Sunday, when Blackie's ashes, placed in an exquisitely inlaid box, the work of one of the prison men, was taken to the chapel, and a short but intensely impressive service was held. On the following Sunday, Easter, a memorial service was held at Auburn, where the man was best known and loved; a service, which stood for the resurrection of all that is good. As the fourteen hundred prisoners carried the ashes to Fort Hill Cemetery, where they found their final resting place, and stood there singing, "Lead Kindly Light, Amid the Encircling Gloom," it seemed indeed prophetic of a new era in the treatment of the outcast.

In closing, she told of going to New England to address a body of Gloucester fishermen about her work. As she went she was continually trying to think of some adequate Christmas message for "her boys." As usual she was much spent with her address, and sought refuge, for a brief period, in the cottage of a friend, a poet of note today. That respite brought a message in verse which was later sent to every man in our state prisons.

In the Same Class.

Tale bearers, as I said before, are just as bad as tale makers.—Shawdon.

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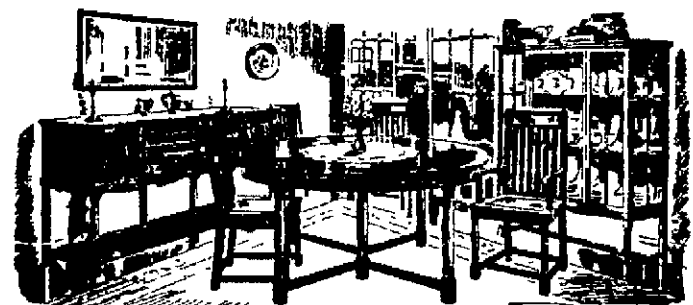


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Eccentric Thiefery.

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Mrs. Ben Ali Haggin and Miss Mary Porter Beegle.
New York, Jan. 17.—This is the year in which occurs the 300th anniversary of the death of William Shakespeare and many celebrations have been planned to commemorate the occasion. Plans are on foot for a celebration in New York, in the form of a masque to be written by Percy Mackay, the poet.

The masque is to be performed out of doors on a large scale next May as the climax of a city wide festival, and will be more ambitious and inclusive than anything of the kind the city has heretofore attempted. Six thousand people will take part in the performance, and a large receptacle has been arranged that will be placed back of the stage to make the acoustic conditions perfect.

The Shakespeare celebration was incorporated to stimulate and coordinate the spontaneous local festivals which will be held in New York next spring. Its incorporators are Mrs. Mary Porter Beegle, Mrs. Ben Ali Haggin, Mrs. W. Forbes Morgan, Jr., Mrs. Percy Mackay and Miss Kate Ogilby.

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Tuesday and Wednesday

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REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION CALL

The following call for a state convention on February 15 has been issued by the Republican state committee:

New York, January 15, 1916.
To the Republican Voters of the State of New York:

The Republican voters of the state of New York are hereby requested to send delegates and alternate delegates to a state convention to be held at Carnegie Hall, in the city of New York, on the 15th day of February, 1916, at 8 o'clock p. m., for the following purposes:

1.—To recommend to the enrolled Republican electorate of the state, for nomination at the primary election to be held April 4, 1916, four candidates for delegates-at-large, and four candidates for alternate delegates-at-large, to the national convention of the Republican party, to be held at Chicago, Illinois, on the 7th day of June, 1916.

2.—To transact such other business as may properly come before the convention.

Delegates and alternate delegates to the state convention shall be chosen in such manner as the county committee, or executive committee thereof, of each county may decide, provided, however, that if 3 per centum or more of the enrolled Republican voters of any assembly district petition therefor, then the chairman of the county committee must issue a call for a primary election to be held in said assembly district on or before the 8th day of February, 1916, at such place or places of convenient access in said district as said chairman may direct, and due notice of said primary election shall be given in a Republican paper or papers published in said county at least 6 days prior thereto.

Such petitions must be filed with the chairman of said committee on or before the 26th day of January, 1916, and meetings of the county committee, or executive committee thereof, for purposes mentioned in this call, shall be held not earlier than the 27th day of January, 1916, nor later than the 1st day of February, 1916, and the chairman of each county committee is hereby directed to publish a notice in one or more Republican papers in said county at least 6 days prior to said meeting of said county committee, or executive committee thereof, notifying the enrolled Republican voters of the date of said meeting, and that a primary election will be held provided petitions are filed as above set forth.

Immediately after delegates have been chosen to said state convention the chairman of the county committee shall forward a list of same to the secretary of the Republican State Committee, 43 West 39th street, New York City.

Each assembly district in the state will be entitled to representation in accordance with the basis established by the state convention of 1914. A schedule of representation is hereto annexed, showing the number of delegates and alternate delegates to which the several assembly districts are entitled.

FREDERICK C. TANNER, Chairman.

LAFAYETTE B. GLEASON, Secretary.

According to the schedule of representation, the First district of Ulster county is entitled to 6 delegates and the Second district is entitled to 5.

Arrow Five to Play Here.

The Arrow Five basketball team of Catskill and the Crescent Club team of this city will clash at Washington Hall on Wednesday evening. This game is the result of a challenge issued by the Arrow Five and accepted by the Crescents. On New Year's afternoon the Crescent team defeated the Arrows by a close score, and a short time after, this paper received a notice to the effect that the Arrows desired another game as they were positive they could easily defeat the Crescents. Their excuse for their former defeat was that they were minus the services of their best players, also to the fact that they had engaged in a hard contest on the previous evening.

The many fans who saw the game on New Year's were well satisfied, as it certainly was a hummer from start to finish, and the result was continually in doubt until the final moments of play, as the close score of 29 to 27 indicates.

If the Arrows are all they claim themselves to be this week's contest should prove to be even better than the first, as the Crescents have kept in tip top condition by continuous practice.

It is expected that the hall will be taxed to capacity to accommodate the many who will be present, as the game has aroused a considerable amount of comment, the Arrows having nearly as many friends in Kingston as the Crescents. Added to this the Arrows have announced that they will bring a large delegation of rooters to Kingston from Catskill, Saugerties, and several of the smaller towns.

The game will be started promptly at 8:30 o'clock, and will be followed by dancing, the music for which will be furnished by McLean's orchestra. A small admission will be charged in order to cover the expenses of the contest.

Frank Verdict Set Aside.

Supreme Court Justice Rudd of Albany has set aside the verdict of the jury rendered at the December trial term of the supreme court in favor of Barnett Frank of this city against Harris Hurewitz of New York. In this action Barnett Frank sought to recover of Hurewitz the sum of \$625 for the sale of furs which he claimed to have sold to Hurewitz, and also a further sum for damages for failure to deliver a quantity of serge cloth which Frank claimed to have purchased from Hurewitz. The defendant claimed that he never purchased the furs from Frank, never saw them and the money which Frank paid him for the serge was credited on an account which Frank owed at the time. The case was tried at the December term of supreme court before Judge Rudd

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Good Prime Rib Roast Beef, lb. 12½c
Best Chuck Roast Beef, lb. 10c
Best Pot Roast Beef, lb. 10c
Best Stew Beef, lb. 5-6c

HAMS, HAMS, HAMS.
Best Premium Hams, lb. 14c
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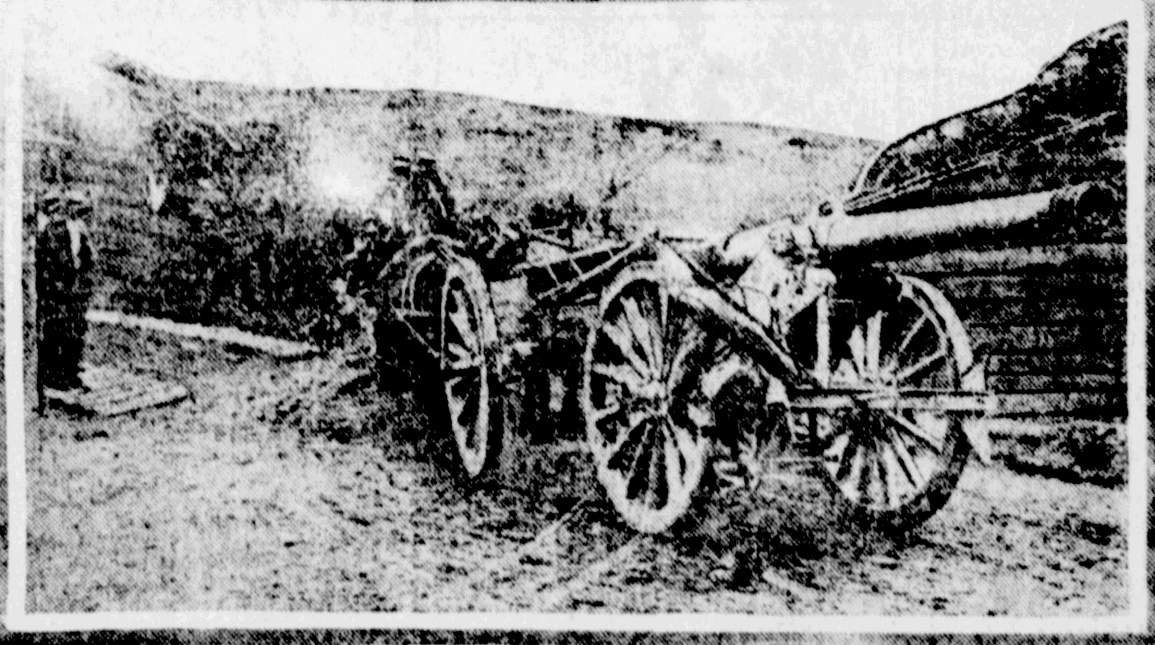
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Begin Training in the Nursery.
The most important part of education is right training in the nursery. The soul of the child in his play should be trained to that sort of excellence in which when he grows to manhood he will have to be perfected.—Plato.

Worth While Quotation.
The idle man stands outside of God's plan, outside of the ordained scheme of things, and the truest self-respect, the noblest independence, and the most genuine dignity are not to be found there.—J. G. Holland.

New Tuberculosis Treatment.
Pulmonary tuberculosis is being treated by a Danish physician with air that has been subjected to the action of ultraviolet rays, which seems to have a healing effect when inhaled through the mouth.

KINGSTON OPERA HOUSE

2:30, 7:15, 9, 10c.
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Star Tuesday and Opera House Wednesday



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and a jury returned a verdict in favor of Frank for \$687.69. Hurewitz moved to set aside the verdict which Judge Rudd had under consideration for some time. He has just set aside the verdict and in his opinion states that the evidence did not show that there was a sale to Hurewitz, that the verdict is against the weight of evidence and contrary to the evidence. Cunningham & Traver appeared for the plaintiff, Barnett Frank and Van Buren & Loughran for the defendant, Harris Hurewitz.

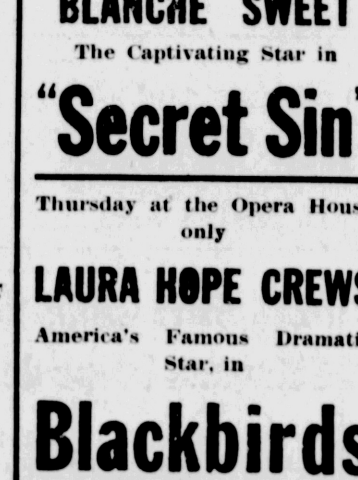
When She Appreciated Charlie.

"I hope you don't indulge in gossip," I'm afraid," replied young Mrs. Torkins, "that I like it. Of course, I don't try to make any up for myself, and I don't care much for what my friends now and then mention. But I must say that Charlie was never so interesting as he was while he was serving on the grand jury."

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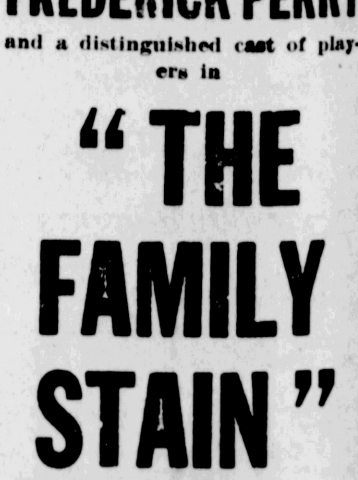
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Tomorrow--"A Mother's Confession"
Also, "Chapter 27 of the Diamond From the Sky"

ANNUAL MEETING OF
COUNTY FARM BUREAU

Practical Talk on Farm Management
by Prof. Livermore and Explanation
of Farm Bureau Work by Mr.
Burritt Follow Election of Officers
For the Year.

Over 40 members attended the annual meeting of the Ulster County Farm Bureau Association, held in the court house on Saturday afternoon, and received the benefit of two excellent talks, one by M. C. Burritt, head of the state bureau of farm bureaus, and the other by Prof. Livermore of Cornell College of Agriculture. Manager Hook's report, the substance of which has already appeared in The Freeman, was presented and the treasurer, David Burgevin, presented a report showing a balance of \$150 in the treasury. Vice President A. E. Jansen presided in the absence of the president, Judge Clearwater.

In appreciation of the services rendered by Judge Clearwater in acting as president during the early struggles of the organization and devoting his time and influence to its welfare until it had attained sufficient strength to stand alone, it was unanimously voted to create the office of honorary president and elect Judge Clearwater as the first incumbent. Other officers were elected as follows: President, Chester Young of Lowville; first vice president, J. A. Napeworth of Milton; second vice president, Rufus Lefever of Rosendale; third vice president, A. E. Jansen of New Paltz; secretary and treasurer, David Burgevin of Kingston; executive committee, Supervisor William S. Hartshorn of Paltekill, C. E. Davis of Lake Katrine, Matthew T. E. DeWitt of Hurley, George Burgevin and Herbert Carl of Kingston.

In his address defining and explaining the farm bureau Mr. Burritt said that the farm bureau is not fully understood, because it is new. Institutes we have had for 30 years but in many cases it has been found that in some ways the institute didn't fit local conditions and needs. The farm bureau is, for one thing, to make the institute and the other educational work of the state and nation fit. The farm bureau has an executive committee and an advisory council the members of which are scattered over the county and therefore know local conditions and needs and all agricultural educational work is now to be done through the farm bureaus it is possible to adapt the work to the needs of the localities. The whole effort is to teach better farming, but one man cannot do it any more than one man can make a church a success. There must be an interested and working membership and it is for that reason that the farm bureau association is a membership affair. As we are more interested in an organization or a business in which there is something invested, there is a membership fee of \$1 a year—not so much that the dollar is needed as to ensure the active interest of the members.

The farm bureau is providing means of doing things that we realize ought to be done but that we do not do individually. The independence of the farmer, growing out of his necessities in the early days of the country is one of the assets of our nation, but independence may be carried to excess. City dwellers have been compelled by the force of circumstances to co-operate. They must have sidewalks, sewers, water supply, fire protection and other things that can be obtained only in that way, by working together. Farmers are not compelled to co-operate in this way and therefore have not formed the habit of working together and it is hard to get them to do so. But as the farming industry advances the necessity for working together grows. The easiest way to start co-operating is in educational matters and if they cannot get together along educational and demonstration lines, how can they ever get together along other lines?

For many years Ulster county has produced good fruit, but there was only now and then a person in the county who knew it. Ask the market man or the consumer to name the fruit producing counties of the state and few would mention Ulster. This year Ulster county fruit growers got together and exhibited at the state fair—and came home with the first prize. That was practical co-operation that made Ulster county fruit known and was a benefit to every Ulster county fruit grower. It advertised Ulster county fruit more than Ulster county farm products had ever been advertised before.

The farm bureau is a clearing house for educational work in the county. Heretofore there has been no program, no system, no plan in agricultural education outside the schools. The farm bureau gives a means of systematizing the work. In the matter of the use of lime, for instance, it arranges demonstrations, makes the result known, finds the sources of lime supply, obtains freight rates and in some cases has cut the cost of obtaining lime in half. The use of lime has increased in some counties from 5 per cent of the farms to 50 per cent. Every farmer knew lime was a good thing and he thought sometimes about using it, but he didn't know where to get it or what is cost or what the freight rate would be and so he took it out in thinking. But when the information was supplied by the bureau, he acted.

The success of a county farm bureau does not depend on the government of the state, the nation or the county, but on the interest and activity of the members. Where there is a large and interested membership, there will be the greatest success and the greatest benefit to the farmers of the county. Where there is a small and listless membership there will be failure.

Farm Management.

Prof. Livermore of Cornell Agricultural College, who didn't look or act like a professor and is not a silver-tongued orator, but just a plain talker with ability to talk common sense, talked about farm management, explaining by the aid of charts just what was meant by the farm surveys, the report of which was published in The Free-

man a few days ago. Production and marketing were the big things in farm management, he said, and the latter could not be studied in laboratories or demonstrated on trial plots. One had to go to the farmer to find out about farm management and in the eight years this work had been in progress surveys had been made on some 4,000 farms. Wherever these surveys were made, there was a striking similarity in the showing, so that there were certain basic points that seemed pretty well proved. The survey is designed to show what the farmer is making. The phrase, "labor income," used to designate the profit, means what is left to the farmer after he has paid all expenses of the farm and the interest on his investment. This varies. Why? Health, soil, distance from market, size of farm, executive ability, industry, system of cropping, relation of stock to crops, all have a bearing, but the three great factors have been found to be size of the business, kind of production and diversity.

As to the influence of size and business, Prof. Livermore showed a chart of the average labor income on farms of varying sizes in this county, size being the only factor considered. The average for farms of 40 acres or less was a loss of \$94; for farms of 41 to 60 acres, a loss of \$54; for farms of 61 to 80 acres, a labor income of \$208; for farms of over 80 acres, a labor income of \$503.

Another chart showed that the larger the farm the larger the number of acres worked per \$100 of labor, the figures ranging from four acres on farms of 30 acres and less to 22 acres on farms of 200 acres. These figures were the averages from 578 farms surveyed in Livingston county. The number of acres tilled per horse was double on the big farms than on the small farms and the number of acres per \$100 worth of machinery ranged from 15 on small farms to 32 on large farms.

Beside this, there was a smaller proportion of the invested capital tied up in buildings on large farms than on small ones. In New York state the labor income is limited more by size of business than by any other one factor. This advantageous increase in the size of business cannot be carried on indefinitely, as there is an upper limit. A farm that is too large causes waste of time in travel. The most profitable farm is that which employs from two to four men.

In a Jefferson county farm survey one of the questions was, "where are the farmer's sons?" It was found that on the larger and more prosperous farms they were at home, while on the smaller and unprofitable farms they had left home. They showed a good judgment in both cases. There is the answer to the question: "How shall we keep the boy on the farm?"

In discussing diversity of production Prof. Livermore said that the farm had problems that the city business that could operate all the year, regardless of weather or season, did not have. In such business specializing paid. Farmers had got the specializing idea from the city, without stopping to realize that on a farm one cannot do one thing all the year. Even dairying, often cited as an all the year business, had a big gap in it every year during the winter that made a full labor schedule impossible.

Investigation showed that 25 to 50 per cent of the income derived from crops and the remainder from stock gave that best labor income. This provided the right proportion of manure and permitted of the utilizing of by products. There are dairy farms that have not enough land to take up the manure production and the loss is almost as serious as on a farm that does not produce manure enough.

Diversity, Prof. Livermore said, did not mean a little of a great many things, but the specializing in from two to four things. There are exceptions, in which highly specialized farming is the only thing possible. There are Delaware county farms where there is so much land available only for pasture that dairying is the only thing, while in Ulster county there are fruit farms where land values are so high and labor so easily obtained in the harvest season that it pays best to specialize in fruit.

Charts showing the relation between stock, crop production and acreage were explained. In one case where crop production was high the receipts per cow amounted to only \$53, which was a loss. This man was feeding good crops to poor cows and should weed out his herd. Although crops were good, the labor income showed a loss of \$382.

Another farm with the same acreage and the same number of cows showed a labor income of \$1,391. On his farm the cows showed earnings of \$116 each. The labor cost was less and better cows were kept, causing a profit of a loss.

On another farm, half the size of the two preceding, the cows gave an income of \$111 each, but the labor was used only one half the time on productive work. There was not enough to do to keep the labor busy and the labor income showed a loss of \$176.

On another farm on which crops were poor there was an income of \$130 per cow, labor was well occupied and there was a labor income profit of \$362.

Success, said Prof. Livermore, depends on size, production and diversity and utilizing labor. Find out the weak points and study how to remedy it. The tendency is for a man to run to extremity in the thing he is interested in. Therefore he needs to study the things he is not interested in and that are the weak points.

Resolutions Adopted.

A resolution providing that payment of \$25 should entitle anyone to life membership in the County Farm Bureau Association was adopted.

A resolution to elect officers by votes sent in by mail was lost after President Young said that the members who did not have interest enough to attend meetings should not vote, a sentiment in which a number of other concurred.

A resolution was adopted opposing the proposed cutting in half of the state appropriation of \$25,000 for maintenance of county farm bureaus. First Vice President Hepworth, asked to speak a few words, said the Hudson Valley Fruit Exchange was

succeeding and should have more members. School Superintendent Andrews said the district meetings plan he had drawn up had not worked out in exactly that form but he thought that the spirit of it was being carried out in a very satisfactory manner by the meetings held by Manager Hook.

Daily Thought.

For manners are not idle but the fruit of loyal nature and of noble mind.—Tennyson.

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GRIT.

Grit is the grain of character. It may generally be described as heroism materialized—spirit and will thrust into heart, brain and backbone, so as to form part of the physical substance of the man.—Whipple.

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No reasonable exception can be taken to Carranza's promise to hunt down and execute the murderers of Americans, nor to his request that our Government exercise patience in view of the difficulties which confront him. It is an old saying that a stitch in time saves nine. Our Administration neglected to take the first stitch, but waited watchfully to see how many more would eventually be needed. Now the whole nine—and then some—are required, and the job cannot be done in a moment. The main question is whether Carranza can succeed at all. No doubt he will try his best, especially since he must be aware that our Congress is evidently disposed to take the matter out of the hands of the complaisant Wilson. Watchful waiting was a pretty bad policy when first introduced, but at the present moment it is the only procedure open to us.

Somewhat left-handed, but none the less emphatic, is the tribute given newspaper pulling powers by promoters of the Panama-Pacific Exposition. Now that the doors of the big show have been closed and the accounts audited the discovery is made that the policy adopted in neglecting newspaper advertising was the rank and kind of failure and one which materially diminished receipts. In brief, this policy was another of those constant efforts to get something for nothing. The exposition managers sought to get free advertising and to revert to slang, this absurd idea proved them the greatest pliers that ever originated on the Pacific side of Pike's Peak. Their assumption that the patriotic pride of publishers was to result in the gift of several millions of dollars worth of the space that under other conditions would be an absolute error, exactly as the aforesaid publishers had stated in the beginning. The exposition people put out a lot of free matter which they were successful in unloading upon a number of newspapers, but papers who accepted this matter, for the most part, were unable to give very wide publicity to the cause. The moral is obvious.

In the vaudeville of crime, the Mann "White Slave" Act is just now supplying the greatest degree of popular interest. Skilful use of this great moral statute by a well organized gang of blackmailers is the limit for downright audacity. The fear of publicity was the chief weapon employed, once the victim had been detected in trips over the State line with female companions. Other state accessories such as forged warrants and impersonations of Department of Justice Officials were simple. The extent to which this modern variation of the old "badger game" was operated reflects anything but credit upon the Federal Department of which, a resourceful gang has made such a conspicuous snafu. Two wrongs cannot make a right but at the same time only moderate sympathy will be expressed for the victims. In their pleasure excursions of the future, they will do well to keep within either this State or the married state. Thus only may they be assured of safety from the powers that prey under the Mann Act.

Whatever chances may have been brought about by gasoline-propelled vehicles, it is a safe assertion that no office in the State government has been so affected by them as that of the Secretary of State. Exactly what duties occupy the attention of the incumbent years ago before automobiles pursued their licensed ways, it is difficult to recall. But in any event, today all is different. Any odor of sanctity that may have hung about the office then has now a distinct trace of gasoline. Not only is that true of the routine business, but the Secretary of State is also in almost constant attendance at banquets of automobile clubs in various parts of the State. The issuing of license tags and listening to the claims of applicants ambitious to secure certain special license numbers must also require no small degree of patience. In short, the office calls for qualities which Job and Lucius combined could with difficulty have equalled. Our sympathy is with Secretary Huco in the trials and tribulations which beset his

office through the popularity of the automobile.

Like unto the prophet, the Ulster County apple is not without honor in its own country. Ask the man in the street where the best apples come from. Like as not, he'll say, California. Or, if a reader of advertisements, he may cite the Wenatchee Valley and Hood River regions in Oregon in answer to the question. Should you tell him that his native county of Ulster produced even superior fruit of incomparable flavor, your friend, doubtless, would stare at you in blank astonishment. Yet the records bear out the statement. Proof of good fruit, like that of pudding, is in the eating thereof. Take the Panama-Pacific Exposition where New York State won most points in the nation-wide competition on apples. Ulster fruit had a prominent part in this triumph and, in addition, has carried off prizes at the State Fair and at State Fruit Growers' exhibits. Home people would do well to acquaint themselves with the merits of home products. New York State has far more material upon which to base fruit-boosting campaigns than any other state in the Union but its people are usually too busy doing something else to pay any attention to this fact.

A LOVER OF TAXES.

Writes a Defense of the Tax Rate for 1916.

Editor Freeman:
When an administration which has been conducted for two years upon the platform of "honesty, economy and efficiency," is faced by an increased tax rate, it is but fair that citizens should analyze the causes for themselves and rally to the support of the administration. Of course, we are all familiar with the sound of the pre-election hysteria relative to future lowering of tax rates, and seldom does anyone anticipate any state results, for only now and then are conditions such that an administration is strong enough to accomplish a lowering of expenses. It is, on the contrary, almost invariably added appropriations and increased salaries, and justly so, for they are always found to be absolutely necessary. The arguments produced prior to elections have their proper values and purposes and their intent is doubtless praiseworthy, but they result in their fulfillment about the same as the average of all pre-election promises—good reasons are conveniently found for not carrying them out.

It is to be noted, however, in our latest tax, that the budget "includes outstanding and unpaid bills," which is a refreshing novelty, although on sober thought, a wholly commendable and eminently fitting feature of a tax levy, and worthy of the imitation of other cities. It also includes the sum of \$12,000 for bonds—an unusual feature for this year only. Besides it must be remembered that the budget comprehends the expense for 12 months instead of 12 months as heretofore, although the school budget of approximately \$125,000 will be in evidence again in August of this year. True, many of the items in the budget are not increased by reason of the additional month, but the following may justly be charged with a pro rata increase (the fire fund of \$25,000, and the civil service fund of \$500, and certain other funds being identical with prior 12 months appropriations) to-wit:

General Fund	\$24,450
Public Works	117,000
Salaries	16,400
Police	23,612
Charities	23,651
Planning Board	2,056

or a pro rata increase of about \$17,475 due to the additional month's expenses. But we also get the reward of collecting twice in this tax year on the mortgage tax. Instead of once as heretofore, an increased receipt of about \$1,800, as well as twice on the tax upon bank shares, a further addition of about \$12,900, making but \$15,700 increased receipts for the 12 months as against an increased expense of about \$17,475, due to the extra month. This may account for the advance in the total budget, possibly, closer analysis might disclose other reasons, chargeable to some cause beyond our reach. The mayor would seem to me to be unwise in discouraging analysis and comparisons of our taxes with those of other cities, for just as his comparison with Poughkeepsie upon the per capita basis shows us how fortunate we are in our taxes, so might a like comparison with Schenectady, Watervliet, Poughkeepsie and Albany upon the same basis instead of upon valuation as he gives it to us, show a like desirable result. Our people should be well satisfied indeed in the knowledge that all expenses of the city for the coming year are safely within the budget, and in the thought that the expedient of increasing our assessments will not have to be resorted to again for some years at least. The bi-partisan complexion of the present administration, rather than the usual ultra-partisan administration of city affairs, is doubtless entitled to the credit for this accomplishment, and indicates a wonderful progress toward that much desired result, the elimination of politics and parties from municipal government.

A LOVER OF TAXES.

January 12, 1916.
Catskill Aqueduct Cracks.
A number of fine cracks have developed in the Catskill aqueduct, Manhattan. The cracks start in the rock north of West Twenty-fourth street and extend about two blocks. To repair the damage will involve an expenditure of about \$15,000 and about two months' labor, according to Commissioner Straus.

World's Biggest Y. M. C. A.

The West Side branch of the Young Men's Christian Association, New York City, is now the largest branch in the world, having a membership of 7,114. This represents an increase of 200 for the year.

LITTLE LAUGHS.

"Mrs. Giddigad's baby cried the other day when she wanted to take it from the nurse a moment." "Yes, the poor little dear is afraid of strangers."—Judge.

Artist—"Mr. Gibbs, I would like in painting this portrait to study your wife's face in repose." Patron—"Then you'll never get a speaking likeness."—Baltimore American.

Hub—"Things were awfully dull in the stock market today. Absolutely nothing doing." Wife—"Why don't you mark some of the stock down and advertise a bargain sale?"—Boston Transcript.

"If I had my way," said the positive woman, "I'd make every unmarried man pay a special tax." "What would be the use?" rejoined Miss Cayenne. "Any man who can dodge matrimony would surely succeed in dodging his taxes."—Washington Star.

Old Lady—"So, William, you've come back to us wounded, I hear. How did it happen?" William—"Shell, mum." Old Lady—"A shell? Oh, dear, dear! And did it explode?" William—"Explode, mum? Not likely. It just crept softly up behind—and bit me!"—Punch.

Logic.

Charles M. Schwab, congratulated in his native Loretto on a war contract, said modestly:

"This success was due to our organization. We only hire, you know, men that are not to be had. Or, as Mr. Morgan put it when a branch told him they couldn't spare a certain man:

"I only take the kind of men who can't be spared."

"Yes," Mr. Schwab went on, "there was a lot of truth in the reasoning of the countryman who walked up to the box office of a fashionable Broadway theater and said:

"Have you got two front row orchestra seats, center the aisle, for tonight?"

"Yes, sir," said the salesman. "Keep 'em, then," said the countryman. "The show can't be no good."—New York Telegraph.

Not an Omission.

Mrs. Benton tasted the savory morsel she had carefully compounded in the chafing dish and looked at her husband somewhat apprehensively. Then she said:

"Somehow it doesn't taste just as Mrs. Mikak's did the other night. Yet I thought I remembered the recipe all right. I suppose I must have left something out."

Mr. Benton tasted reflectively. Mrs. Benton's face brightened visibly. Then her husband continued, "There's nothing you could leave out," he said, "that would make it taste like this. It's something you've put in!"—New York Telegraph.

Belonged to the Band.

Florence Moore, the popular actress, tells a story of the war in Europe that bears the stamp of originality.

"A few soldiers belonging to a part of a Swiss regiment in garrison at Basle went to a certain cafe for refreshments. One sat down at a table alone. Later a civilian, a German, joined him and the two began to talk war politics."

"Would you shoot the Germans if they invaded Switzerland?" asked the German.

"Oh never!" exclaimed the soldier.

"Waiter, a pint of beer and a beefsteak for this brave man," ordered the civilian.

"And your pals sitting at the next table, would they also not shoot the Germans if they tried to invade this country?"

"Oh, no, never," retorted the Swiss.

"Waiter, a glass of beer for each of the soldiers at the next table," ordered the civilian.

"And addressing again the soldier he asked: 'Is this the view generally held in the Swiss army in regard to a possible German invasion? Are all the Swiss soldiers so Germanophile?'"

"I don't know," replied the soldier.

"But why would you not shoot the Germans?"

"Because we belong to the band."—Albany Knickerbocker Press.

TWENTY AND TEN YEARS AGO.

January 16, 1896.—Death of Edward Cockburn at Mt. Pleasant, aged 82.

Patrick Dunn had both legs broken by earth caving in on him at Jockey Hill.

Mission established on Railroad avenue by Col. Hadley.

Announcement of death in Ireland of the Rev. Father Goodwin, formerly of Ellenville.

Supervisors met and organized, electing Victor Shults of Bearsville, chairman, and C. K. Loughran, clerk of the board.

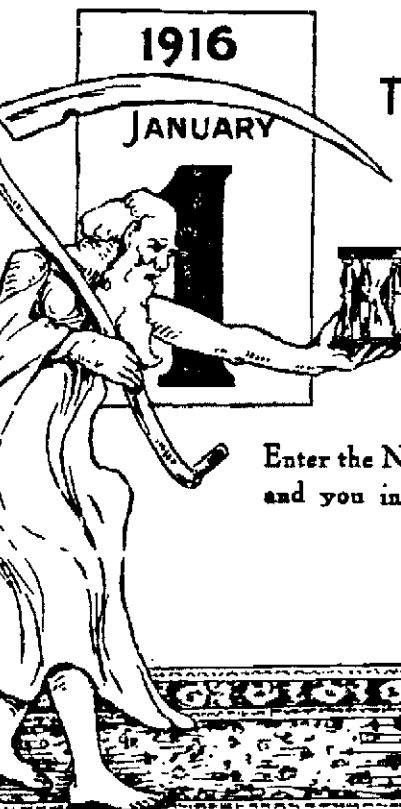
George H. Styles, Harry Carr and William Weston returned from a hunting trip in North Carolina.

January 16, 1906.—Judge and Mrs. Parker attended a family reunion at the home of his mother in Derby, Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. Nash H. Eldridge celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary at their home on Hasbrouck avenue.

Miss Jessie L. Decker and Charles Delaney married at the home of the bride in Ellenville.

Barn of Arthur Munson at Kerhonkson destroyed by fire.



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had equipped for the use of poor old drunks or homeless hoboes. John is a well known character around town and his favorite hangout, according to the police, is a saloon. As this was the first time he has been arrested and as he promised to make a gallant effort to stay aboard the water wagon, he was discharged with a reprimand by Recorder Lang.

A Prosperous Institution.

The board of directors of the Home-Seeker's Co-Operative Savings and Loan Association have declared a dividend at the rate of 6 1/2 per cent for the year ending January 1, 1916. The annual report shows the association to be in a flourishing condition, there being about 400 more shares of stock outstanding now than there was a year ago. During the year 15th series of stock, amounting to over \$22,000, matured, and 16th series will mature in a few months. The association has 600 stockholders, holding 3,181 shares of stock, the total value of which is over \$200,000. A new series of stock opens on February 7 and subscriptions are now being received at the secretary's office, No. 23 Broadway.

KERHONKSON.

Kerhonkson, Jan. 17.—At the regular meeting of the Kerhonkson Chapter, No. 9,492, Epworth League, held in the M. E. Church on Tuesday evening, the election of officers took place, which resulted in the following being chosen for the ensuing year: President, M. Christiana; first vice-president, D. Roy Hendrickson; second vice-president, Hazel Munson; third vice-president, David Burgher; fourth vice-president, Clarence Cross; secretary, Miss Christiana; organist, Nancy Hornbeck; organist, Hazel Munson; assistant organist, Olive Wells.

A measuring social will be held in the M. E. Church on Wednesday evening, January 19. In the evening a free entertainment will be given by the young people.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Christiana of Cottekill are spending some time with

his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Christiana. Uncle Nathan, a farmer

Mrs. J. Wells and daughter, Olive, spent a few days with friends' Aunt Debby's wife

in Kingston the past week.

Nancy Hornbeck spent Thursday Harold Vane, a city nephew

in Ellenville.

On Wednesday evening Mr. and Charlotte, his wife . . . Olive Wells

William Addis, delightfully entertained Mr. and Mrs. A. Christiana, former Church in the near future.

Women's Work Society Meeting.

The Women's Christian Work Society of the Wurts Street Baptist Church will hold its annual meeting and election of officers in the Sun-

on Wednesday evening the fol-day school hall on Wednesday afternoon will be given free in noon, Jan. 19, at 3 o'clock. This meet-

the M. E. Church on Wednesday ing was adjourned from last week evening, January 15, at 8 o'clock, on account of the heavy storm. All

"Hospitality or City Versus Country" of the women of the church are invited to be present.

Wilma White spent Friday in Kingston.

Mary Husk visited Kingston on Thursday.

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Walter N. Gill, Surrogate of Ulster County, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against Philip B. Collier, deceased, testate, to present the same with the vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned, Benjamin B. Tull, executor of the estate of said deceased, at his residence, No. 35 Cedar street, in the city of Kingston, on or before the 1st day of February, 1916.

Dated July 26, 1915.

BENJAMIN B. TULLMADGE, Executor, etc., of said Estate.

Virgil B. Van Wagoner, as Executor of the will of Philip B. Collier, deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Walter N. Gill, Surrogate of Ulster County, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against Tamer Meehan, deceased, testate, to present the same with the vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned, Caroline V. Ackert, the executor of the estate of said deceased, at his residence, No. 35 Cedar street, in the city of Kingston, on or before the 1st day of February, 1916.

Dated July 26, 1915.

CAROLINE V. ACKERT, Executor, etc., of said Estate.

J. Delany Babcock, Attorney, 23-25 Fair street, Kingston, N. Y.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the firm of Charles J. Michael Company, composed of the undersigned, has been voluntarily dissolved as of this date and that said business will be continued by the undersigned Charles J. Michael.

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Macaroni, Spaghetti, 3 cans	25c
Egg Noodles, 3 boxes	25c
Lima Beans, 3 lbs.	25c
Soup Beans, 3 lbs.	25c
Wax Beans, can.	7c
Fancy Peas, can.	7c
Fancy Plums, can.	9c
Fancy Raspberries can	14c
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Window Klean, 4 cans	25c
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1 can Syrup	23c
1 box Buckwheat Flour	23c
1 can Peas	23c
6 boxes Sardines	25c
Post Toasties, 3 pkgs	25c
Shredded Wheat, 3 pkgs	25c
Force, pkg.	10c
Babbitt's Cleanser, 6	25c

**HIGH SCHOOL TEAMS
WIN THREE GAMES**

Saturday the girls basketball team went down the river to Cornwall to play the girls of that town a return game of basketball. They returned the same evening reporting victory of 14 to 10. This is the first game of the season that has been played out of town. The team was chaperoned by Miss Cordes and Miss Siegel, who also officiated as umpire of the game. The girls deserve great credit for their victory as the Cornwall maidens showed considerable more prowess than when they were here a week ago and in the process of the game shot two field baskets from the center of the field. The line-up was as follows: Ruth Humphrey, c.; Faith Safford, rf.; Lillian Herdman, lf.; Josephine Schmid, lg.; Helen Wood, rg. High School, 28; Rhinebeck, 23.

Saturday evening in a game of basketball played between the varsity team of the Kingston high school and Rhinebeck, Kingston won by a score of 28 to 23. The battle was fought in the high school gymnasium and was a fast and furious struggle throughout. During the first part of the game the prospects of victory for the local team seemed slight, but a rally toward the end of the first half and steady playing throughout the second half saved the game. Rhinebeck pinned all their hopes on Briggs, who it must be admitted, is a wizard on the floor. During the game he gained approximately twice as many points as all the rest of his team put together, and without him the game would have been a walk-away for the high school boys. On the other hand there was little starting done in the Kingston ranks. Every man did his part, playing for the team and not for himself, and when it is realized that Rhinebeck has played several games this season, and that the locals are just opening their season, it is easy to see that here is another big victory.

The officials were C. H. Beckwith, referee for the high school; Mr. Ryan, umpire for the visitors. Timekeepers—R. Sharpe and Finley. Scorers—Risley and Stelle.

In the first half Kingston started the scoring, but Rhinebeck soon began to show some superiority in covering the play and took the lead. There was two minutes time out called by Kingston and at the end of the half the visitors were in the lead by a score of 12 to 10.

At the beginning of the second half the players with the maroon and white showed more "pep" and made up for lost time. During the half Silverman took Kiernan's place and Kiernan replaced Palist. Later on Risley was put in for Joyce. At times the Kingston boys were hard pressed for breath and twice during the half called for time out.

The line-up follows:

Kingston High School.			
	F.	B.	T.P.
Kiernan, rf.	2	0	4
Dolson, lf.	3	1	7
Johnson, c.	0	0	0
Joyce, rg.	1	5	7
Palist, lg.	3	1	7
Risley, rf.	1	0	2
Silverman, lf.	0	1	1
Total	10	8	28

Before the big game Saturday evening there was a game of basketball between the High School Juniors and the Y. M. C. A. Student B team. The high school team made

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Jam and Jellies	3 glasses 25c
3 Cans Ritter's Pork and Beans	25c
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up mostly of very small fellows walked away from their somewhat larger opponents from the very start. The fast pass work which which they accomplished was worthy of much larger fellows.

During the second half there were several fellows taken out to give others in the squad a chance. Cashin took Smith's place. Martin for Kemble. George Schoonmaker for McAndrew. Becker for Hallinan. Whittaker for Kirchner.

Considering the time he was in the game, Martin played the best of any of the Y. M. C. A. boys. No one can be given special credit for winning the game for the high school as every player throughout the game gave up any chance he may have had for a slightly better chance of one of his colleagues.

The line-up follows:

High School Juniors.			
	F.	B.	T.P.
McAndrew, rf.	5	1	11
Smith, lf.	3	0	6
Hallinan, c.	7	0	14
Dwyer, rg.	0	0	0
Kirchner, lg.	1	4	6
Cashin, rf.	0	1	1
Total	16	6	38

Student B of Y. M. C. A.

	F.	B.	T.P.
Thompson, rf.	0	0	0
Kemble, lf.	0	0	0
Huestis, c.	0	1	1
F. Schoonmaker, rg.	3	0	6
Ignes, lg.	0	0	0
Martin, rf.	3	0	6
Total	6	1	13

SOCIETY NOTES.

Mr. and Mrs. Horton Wilson entertained a number of their friends at their home, No. 194 Tremper avenue, on Friday evening. During the evening under the leadership of Frank Hyatt "The Old Hickory Quartet" rendered a number of selections. The evening was most delightfully spent with music and games and at a late hour refreshments were served.

A surprise party was tendered Miss Dotsey Robinson of No. 34 Pine street the other evening, and all had a most enjoyable time playing games and dancing. Refreshments were served. Those present were the Misses Golfe and Josephine Bush, Helen and Lillian Rorrick, Loretta Myers, Harriet Whitaker, Ethel Kastner, Leona Delancy, Genevieve Norton, Pearl Hommel and the Messrs. Harry and Harold Hyatt, Ira and Ralph Ellsworth, Edward Delancy, Herbert Hargreaves, Harry Krom, Stanley Brooks, Norwood Humphrey, and Dale Auchmoody.

Kijkuit Club Meeting.

The regular meeting of the Kijkuit Club will be held tomorrow, Tuesday evening at 7:45 o'clock sharp, at the home of Miss Beatrice Oldham, No. 204 Downs street. This meeting will be of special interest, as planned by Mrs. Reed, and there will be important business to be transacted. Every girl in the club is asked to be present.

Dinner At Stuyvesant.

Several of the officers, a few members of the Federation of Women's Clubs and their guests of honor, Mrs. Anna P. L. Field of Brooklyn, and Mrs. Howard Gillespie of Stuyvesant, enjoyed a dinner at the Stuyvesant Saturday noon, adjourning later to the chapel of the First Dutch Church, where the regular quarterly general federation meeting was held. Mrs. Winne of the Stuyvesant had screened off a portion of the spacious dining room for the women who were seated at two long tables. Those present were Mrs. C. K. Boulton, Mrs. Field, Mrs. Howard Gillespie, Mrs. John W. Seating, Mrs. Virgil B. Van Wageningen, Mrs. Hyman Roosa, Mrs. N. D. J. Murphy, Mrs. W. N. Pessenden, Miss Mary Baker, Dr. Mary Gage-Day, Mrs. W. Scott Gillespie, Mrs. Simmons, Mrs. Terry, Mrs. Weed, Mrs. M. J. Michael, Mrs. Meagher, Mrs. De La Vergne, Mrs. Charles Ellis, Mrs. John Brodhead, Mrs. Leighton, Miss Katharine van Keuren, Mrs. Frank Merritt and Mrs. C. N. Reed. Clever place cards showing wisdom in the form of four grave owls under one protecting cover, were expressive of the reception and dissemination of knowledge, in their differing attitudes. The elaborate course dinner was exceptionally delicious, even for the Stuyvesant, and was admirably served.

Bar Association Dinner.

At the thirty-ninth annual dinner of the New York State Bar Association, at the Hotel Astor, Saturday evening, Judge Clearwater presided, and paid a warm tribute to Senator Elihu Root, in whose honor the dinner was given by the association. The Judge also presided at the meeting of the bar at which Justice Hughes delivered the annual address on Friday. At the dinner to Senator Root the other speakers were Judge Jacob M. Dickinson, formerly secretary of war, who is now in Chicago; Henry L. Stimson, who was secretary of war in President Taft's cabinet; Judge Cuthbert Pound, of the court of appeals, Robert C. Smith, king's counsel, the leader of the bar of Montreal. There were twenty-one other distinguished lawyers at the

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All our products, such as Milk, Butter, Cream, Buttermilk, Cheese and Ice Cream, will be properly pasteurized.

It is our intention to deliver Pasteurized Grade A Milk at the same price as is now charged for Grade B Raw Milk, viz. 8 Cents Per Quart. This grade of milk is now sold in Poughkeepsie at 9 cents per quart, and in New York city for 12 cents per quart.

Specifications are being prepared to install the latest and best appliances and machinery to carry into effect our desire to produce the cleanest, purest and safest Dairy Products possible. These additions to the fine equipment now in the creamery, will make it one of the best equipped in the state.

The pasteurization of dairy products is an expensive addition to our enterprise, and it would be folly to attribute a keen desire on our part to spend money for any unusual purpose, but a careful study of the trend of public sentiment, fortified by the frequent bulletins of the State Department of Health, urging the universal pasteurizing of these important articles of diet, has convinced our members that sooner or later this requirement will be made compulsory, and probably come at a time that would either compel the dairymen to accept a lower price for his product or the consumer be required to pay more for it. Happily conditions have so come about that both of these emergencies will be avoided. Under our enterprise the consumers of Kingston will be enabled to deal directly with the producers, eliminating considerable expense of distribution, and by handling larger quantities in one place, sufficient can be saved to produce better and purer articles without increasing the price.

Laws have been enacted, and Departments have been created in many of the states, as well as by the National Government, to encourage organizations such as ours. In the Empire State there are many already dealing with the people directly in the disposition of their own products.

In becoming a part of the commercial energy of the city we solicit confidence and patronage to the extent the worthiness and price of our products commend themselves to the public.

William A. Warren, George P. DuMond, Edward McSpirt, Matthew T. E. DeWitt, A. Otis Davis, John T. Cahill, Jacob Merritt, Abel Black John E. Kraft, Directors of the Association.

**The Kingston
Milk Producers' Creamery, Inc**

26 DOWNS ST.

TELEPHONE 788

**REPORT OF THE CONDITION
OF THE ASHOKAN NATIONAL BANK**

At Brown Station, in the State of New York, at the close of business, Dec. 31, 1915.

Assets and Liabilities shown on balance sheet as follows:

Overdrafts, unsecured	\$5,287.24
U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation	25,000.00
Securities other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks owned and unpaid)	7,514.87
Subscription to stock of Federal Reserve Bank	\$2,000.00
Less amount unpaid	1,500.00
Furniture and fixtures	1,300.00
Net amount due from Federal Reserve Bank	1,800.00
Net amount due from approved banks in New York	3,358.51
Chicago and St. Louis	\$185.29
Net amount due from approved banks in other cities	11,481.81
Net amount due from banks and bankers other than included in above	18,257.18
Outside checks and other cash items	769.94
Functional entrance	\$204.66
Notes and coins	118.65
Notes of other national banks	378.11
Federal Reserve notes	1,200.00
Coin and certificates	8,144.65
Reserve fund on U. S. Treasury and due from U. S. Treasury	1,200.00
Total	\$100,789.69

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	\$25,000.00
Surplus fund	1,500.00
Undivided profits	\$1,811.19
Less current expenses, interest and taxes paid	11,811.19
Reserve fund outstanding	\$4,500.00
Deposits	66,000.00
Individual deposits	56,000.00
Subject to check	5,000.00
Cashier's check outstanding	5,000.00
Total demand deposits	\$61,000.00
Time and savings	\$5,000.00
Total	\$100,789.69

STATE OF NEW YORK, IN

COUNTY OF ULSTER, ss.

I, Jackson Fitzgerald, Jr., Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL OF OFFICE.

JACKSON FITZGERALD, JR., Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of January, 1916.

JOHN W. FISK, Notary Public.

Corrected—Attest:

C. M. ROSS, J. M. HARRARD, C. M. PERKINS, Directors.

BIJOUThree Shows Daily
2:45, 7:30, 9:00**TODAY****"The Toast of Death"**

A Thomas H. Ince feature with LOUISE GLAUM and HARRY KEENAN.

Tuesday, Jan. 18

J. Stuart Blackton and Albert Smith present

"The Dust of Egypt"

A "Big Four" Feature in six parts with EDITH STOREY and ANTONIO MORENO.

Wednesday, Jan. 19**"A Yankee From the West"**

An American drama of today with SIGNE ANEN and WAL-LACE REID.

Thursday, Jan. 20**"THE REWARD"**

A drama of Stage Life with BESSIE BARRISCALE.

Friday, Jan. 21

J. Stuart Blackton and Albert Smith present the Vitaphone Blue Ribbon Feature.

"The Man Who Couldn't Beat God"

With MAURICE COSTELLO.

Saturday, Jan. 22**"INFATUATION"**

A Drama of the stage with MARGARITA FISCHER.

guests' table. Among them were: Edgar M. Cullen, formerly chief judge of the court of appeals; Judge Benjamin R. Cardozo, of that court; John Proctor Knott, presiding judge of the appellate division of the first department; Almet W. Jenks, presiding judge of the appellate division of the second department; George Henry Tucker, of Virginia; Francis Rawie of Pennsylvania; Richard V. Landabury of New Jersey; A. W. Atwater, batonnier of the Province of Quebec, Canada; Morgan J. O'Brien, formerly presiding judge of the appellate division in the first department; George W. Wickert, Henry W. Taft, Alton B. Parker, formerly chief judge of the court of appeals; Peter W. Meldrin, leader of the bar of Georgia; and Francis Lynde Stetson.

In Its Larger Aspects. Another favorite way which the small, round-headed man who can't see the other side of any given question any more than if it weren't there at all has of introducing his remarks is to say something about viewing the matter in its larger aspects.—Ohio State Journal.

Mean Retort. Discontented Wife—"Several of the men whom I refused when I married you are richer than you are now." Husband—"That's why."—Boston Transcript.

His Last Excuse. When a man hasn't any other excuse for being unreasonable he says he's holding out for principle.

Impossible to Forgive. We may forgive those who bore us, we cannot forgive those whom we bore.—La Rochefoucauld.



PETER KEENE.

**MISSING AMERICAN REPORTED
ASSASSINATED BY ORDER OF
VILLA.**

Peter Keene, American manager of the Babricora Ranch, in Chihuahua, Mexico, the property of W. R. Hearst, who was missing after an attack on the ranch several weeks ago, is reported to have been killed by order of Villa.

Country's Salt Consumption.

The consumption of salt in the United States amounts to almost 100 pounds per capita, a huge proportion of the whole going into various manufacturing processes. Discovery of tremendous new fields has served to keep the price consistently falling.

Unfailing Remedy.

Anxious Father—"Can you tell what ails my daughter?" Doctor—"She does not take enough outdoor exercise. Father—"She does not feel like it." Doctor—"True; so she needs toning up." Father—"What do you recommend?" Doctor—"A new hat."

SUPREME COURT, ULSTER COUNTY.

George L. LeFevre against Harry Axelrod & Ors.

In pursuance of and by virtue of a decree and judgment of foreclosure and sale granted in this action on the 17th day of January, 1916, and on that day entered in Ulster county clerk's office, L. the subscriber, referee duly appointed for such purpose, will sell at public auction at the front door of the court house, Kingston city, Ulster county, New York on the 4th day of March, 1916, at twelve o'clock noon of that day the following lands and premises, being the same as described in the complaint and judgment in this action, viz: ALL THAT TRACT OR PARCEL OF LAND situate in the town of Rosendale, county of Ulster and state of New York, on the south side of the main street or public highway leading through the village of Rosendale, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the southeasterly corner of a lot belonging to Mary C. Garabrant formerly, and formerly owned by Catherine Constable, from thence running along the same north seven degrees east one hundred and thirty feet to the center of said public highway, thence through the same south eighty-three and one-half degrees east thirty-seven feet and six inches, thence south seven degrees west one hundred and thirty feet thence north eighty-three and one-half degrees west thirty-seven feet and six inches to the place of beginning, being a lot thirty-seven feet and six inches front and rear and one hundred and thirty feet deep.

Dated, January 17th, 1916.

EVERETT FOWLER, Referee.

V. B. VAN WAGONER, Attorney for Plaintiff.

32 Main St., Kingston, N. Y.

Optimistic Thought.

The worth of a state is the worth of the individuals composing it.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

County of Ulster, ss.:

By virtue of an execution issued out of the Ulster county court of the state of New York, to me directed and delivered, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of Ella L. Johnston, I have seized and taken all the right, title and interest of said defendant in and to the following described property, to wit: All that lot or parcel of land, situate in the village and town of Gardiner, Ulster county, New York, described as follows: Bounded on the north by North street; on the east by the lot of John Lyons; on the south by the lands of Elizabeth D. Elting and on the west by lot of John S. Rosecrans, last designated as lots numbers 8 and 9 in block No. 9 on map made by Abram L. Fevre, surveyor for Charles Reynolds, general assignee of Floyd S. McKinstry, last filed in the Ulster county clerk's office April 26th, 1907, and numbered 304. This parcel of land is sold subject to the lease of Millard Elmendorf, which will expire on the 1st day of February, 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of the 1st day of February, 1916, at the front door of the Ulster county court house in the city of Kingston, N. Y. Dated this 17th day of January, 1916.

EDGAR T. SHULTIS, Sheriff.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of Whitbeck & Hunt, painters and decorators, has been dissolved by mutual consent, and that the business shall be continued by the undersigned at 21 Kenrick street.

FREDERICK D. HUNT.

To the stockholders of The Lawrence Cement Company: Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of The Lawrence Cement Company will be held at the principal office of the company, No. 32 Main street, in the city of Kingston, N. Y., on Wednesday, the 22nd day of February, 1916, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing five trustees of the company to serve for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting. Transfer books will be closed from February 1st to February 3rd, 1916, both days inclusive.

Dated, Kingston, N. Y., January 16th, 1916.

H. R. MINGER, Secretary.

Classified Advertisements

ONE CENT A WORD

Classified advertisements in this department will be inserted at the uniform rate of one cent per word for each insertion. Advertisements after the first week, one-half cent per word will be charged. No advertisement less than 10 cents. Orders may be left at the following places:

CHARLES W. CARD, Post Office, N. Y.
GEO. W. MOORE, 300 Broadway.
W. MC MILLIN, Elmwood, N. Y.
WILLIAM O'REILLY, 300 Broadway.
C. STRUBEL, 748 Broadway.
D. H. SIMPSON, 600 Broadway.
FREEMAN BRANCH OFFICE, 200 Fair Street.
FREEMAN, Downtown, 2-5 Broadway.

One Cent Per Word

No Advertisement Less Than 10 Cents

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—Operators, learners taken. Millen, Aikenhead Co., Inc., Greenkill Ave.

WANTED—Girl to assist with housework. 50 West St.

WANTED—Experienced rollers and bunnymakers. Girls to learn clear making; paid while learning. G. W. Van Slyke & Horton.

WANTED—White woman for general housework, middle aged, woman preferred. Call evenings at 6:30, 122 O'Neil St.

WANTED—Operators, experienced on hemming and sewing. Fuller's Shirt Factory, Pine Grove Ave.

EXPERIENCED OPERATORS. BEGINNERS ALSO TAKEN. PAID WHILE LEARNING. FULLER'S SHIRT FACTORY, PINE GROVE AVE.

WANTED—Experienced ironers to do pressing. Millen, Aikenhead Co., Inc., Greenkill Ave.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 120 Fair St.

WANTED—Competent woman for general housework, small family. Phone 1533-J. Between 5 and 7 p. m.

WANTED—Chambermaid, waitress, laundress. Apply by phone, Rhinebeck Hotel, Rhinebeck, N. Y.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 22 Abel St. Shindler.

WANTED—Operators, experienced on hemming and sewing. Fuller's Shirt Factory, Pine Grove Ave.

WANTED—Experienced sleeveers, at Fessenden Shirt Factory.

WANTED—Girl for cooking and down stairs work. Apply 105 Fair St.

WANTED—10 ladies; house to house demonstrators; must be experienced and real sales people. Apply Mrs. Egan, 732 Broadway, Kingston.

TO LET.

TO LET—Flat and part of cottage. 20 Liberty St.

TO LET—Six rooms, 85 Garden St. Inquire W. A. Frey.

TO LET—Five rooms, with all improvements, newly renovated. Inquire Greenwald's shoe store, cor. Broadway and Abel.

TO LET—Furnished room, in private family; centrally located. 1747-M.

TO LET—5 room flat, 84 Hoffman St. Mahen & Walker.

TO LET—House, all improvements, 108 Hone St. Staples Brick Co.

TO LET—New flat, near high school. Inquire 41 O'Reilly St.

TO LET—House, 6 rooms, all improvements, 106 Elmendorf St. rent \$25. Inquire 110 Elmendorf St.

FOR RENT—6 room house, 187 Pine St. 512. Shattuck Realty Co.

TO LET—Upper and lower floor, 207 Washington Ave., near Main St. Apt. 69 Clinton Ave.

FOR RENT—Crosby residence at No. 112 W. Chestnut St.; all improvements. Inquire at 574 Broadway.

FIVE ROOM flat, St. James St. all improvements. Apply N. D. J. Murphy.

TO LET—Flat, 207 Dumas St. Improvements.

TO LET—20 Janet St. Inquire 20 Janet St. Telephone 1728-W.

MISCELLANEOUS.

FURNITURE storage, home-proof, matting, fire-proof. Frederick C. Winter, Kingston. Phone 1403-J, or call Stuyvesant Garage.

FILMS developed, 10 cents a roll. Private 1 cents up. Sibley Studio, 29 E. Strand.

MORAN Business School, Burgin building, day and evening sessions. Enroll January 23rd or any time during month. Bookkeeping, shorthand, typewriting, arithmetic, English. Experienced teachers.

HAVE your repair work done now by competent upholsterers, cabinet makers and finishers. Estimate cheerfully attended to. January is the best month in which to have this work done. Gregory & Co.

FOR a nominal fee, young woman will care for children evenings while parents attend theatre or other recreation. Address Box 222, Freeman Office.

ALL makes of storage batteries rebuilt and repaired by an expert. We specialize in repairing batteries during the winter at reasonable rates. Service station for Exide batteries. Stuyvesant Garage.

FURNITURE storage; best in city. Harry P. Carr. Phone 1178-J, 6-23.

THE book you want in "Laddie" price 50 cents. In sale at O'Reilly's, 530 Broadway.

KINGSTON Taxi Service, 50 cents for 1 or 2 persons; day or night. Tel. 561.

PIANOS tuned, \$1.50. Martha, 105 Prospect St. Phone 1752.

PLUMBING, heating, tinning, gas fitting, jobbing promptly attended. W. H. Proummer, 73 Broadway St. Phone 660-W.

FURNISHED ROOMS.

DESIRABLE furnished rooms, with or without board. 105 Fair St.

FURNISHED or unfurnished rooms. 112 Hone St.

FURNISHED ROOMS—110 Malden Lane.

FURNISHED ROOMS—3 John St.

FURNISHED ROOMS—75 Pearl St.

FURNISHED ROOM, Apply 33 Henry St.

FURNISHED ROOMS—With or without board. 219 Wall St.

FURNISHED rooms, 103 Hone St.

FURNISHED ROOMS—21 John St.

MONTENEGRO SUES FOR PEACE

By Telegram to The Freeman.
Vienna, via Berlin wireless, Jan. 17.—Montenegro has sued for peace. It was officially announced today in the Hungarian parliament by Count Tisza, premier of Hungary.

This announcement was greeted with joyful shouts.
"Both King Nicholas and the Montenegrin cabinet have asked for peace terms," said the Hungarian premier.

Chicago Grain Market.
Chicago, Jan. 17.—Grain close: Wheat—May \$1.28 1/4; July, \$1.23.
Corn—May 79 1/4; July 79 1/4.
Oats—May 52; July 49 1/4.

Diphtheria in Milk.
Middletown's milk supply is held responsible for its recent outbreak of diphtheria.

Life and Character Reading

JANUARY 17.

Extremely sensitive to the conditions surrounding you, learn to control your inner forces.

If discord reigns and you cannot overcome the lack of harmony, seek a more congenial employment.

Your governing planets are Saturn and Mars, and Saturn's influence in discordant conditions is very detrimental to health and success.

Let no discord reign in the business office this present week. Make all concessions to avoid it. This is a trying period and should be met quietly and calmly by all persons of this birthdate.

Mars will create much disturbance and is especially active during this period.

Calmness, self-confidence and the determination to conquer through absolute silence will accomplish everything.

Marriage will be happiest with a person born between the dates of February 1 and 17.

Domesticity should search The Freeman Want Ads for profitable positions during the coming two weeks.

One Cent Per Word

No Advertisement Less Than 10 Cents.

LOST.

LOST—Sunday afternoon, black rosy dog, between 12th and 13th St. and Teichler's bakery, Broadway. Leave at Moore's News Store.

MALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—Men to cut logs. Also men to stock lumber. Man to scale logs, keep time, load teams, etc. Usher Lumber Co., Livingston Manor, N. Y.

WANTED—Agents, to solicit orders for women's clothes from factory direct to wearer at wholesale prices. References required. P. O. Box 522, Philadelphia, Pa.

WANTED—First class farmer; married man, small family; thoroughly experienced in dairying and general farming. Must be a hustler, accustomed to handling men, and able to produce results on an economical basis. Unusually good pay to the right man. "Daily," c/o Freeman, Upton.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Second hand furniture, kerosene stoves and ranges. I furnish all kinds of goods, quality, highest prices paid for second hand furniture and stoves. Morris Kaplan, 69 North Front St. Tel. 661-J.

FOR SALE—Two Columbian Wyandotte chickens; thoroughbred. Address Box 41, Glens, N. Y.

FOR SALE—1916 Pullman touring car, cheap. Other bargains, one and two family cottages. Lesatz, 84 Clinton Ave. Phone 1491-J.

FOR SALE—Small, speedy, good horse; good road horse, sleigh, harness and two wagons, cheap. 728 Broadway.

ROASTING PIGS, 12 to 20 pounds dressed weight, 25c per lb. delivered. Nutledge Bros., Lomontville. Phone Kingston 12-P.

FOR SALE—Clean, parlor stove, good as new. 31 Furnace St.

FOR SALE—One pair horse hobs; low price for quick sale. Herbert Carr, Dry Goods Co.

FOR SALE—Cutter. Apply 83 E. Strand.

FOR SALE—Fast ice boat, fully equipped. John J. Mooney, East Kingston.

FOR SALE—Kindling wood, 2 bbls. for 25 cents or 8 bbls. for \$1.00. Orders promptly delivered. W. H. Roe, 117 N. Front St. Telephone 1224-W.

FOR SALE—Gasoline engine and saw frame. 115 N. Front St.

HELP WANTED.

SOLICITORS WANTED—Catholic, to introduce best Catholic proposition on the market. Big money can be made by hustlers. Decker Brothers, 36-38 Barclay St., New York City.

WANTED—Able-bodied men. Good eyesight, for freemen and brakemen; \$120 monthly. Experience unnecessary. Railway, c/o Freeman.

WANTED—Reliable couple, no children; man help do general work on farm; woman good plain cook and take care of gentleman's house; good wages. Give reference and age in first letter. Address "Position," Freeman Office.

WANTED—Boarders and roomers. 27 Henry St.

WANTED—Roomers. 86 Abel St.

WANTED—Roomers and boarders. 25 Green St.

SALESMAN WANTED.

GAS and Electric Company in a medium size city. New York state, desires the services of a trained, energetic salesman. State qualifications, record, references and salary expected. Address "Salesman," Freeman.

ADV. WRITING.

EFFICIENCY in advertising, in simple terms, in getting your money's worth. Advertising, done well, saves money. It pays for itself and increases your net profits. The art of adv. I write out the best of sales. If your selling costs are too high, write me. George M. Zellmer, care of Kingston Freeman.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

By Telegram to The Freeman.
New York, Jan. 17.—Most interest in the stock market this morning was concentrated in the war order group and in securities whose outlook governed by the war. Marine preferred was active and strong, rising 1 1/4 to a new high mark of 52 1/2 and the 4 1/2 per cent bonds sold at 101 1/4. Crucible Steel started 1 1/4 higher at 69 1/4, followed by a drop to 68 1/4. American Coal products jumped 4 1/4 points to a new high record of 173, and International Nickel moved up 6 1/4 to a new high record of 25. General Electric was in brisk demand, rising 1/4 to 176 1/4. Exceptional weakness was shown in California Petroleum, which fell 2 1/4 to 32 1/4. Mexican Petroleum gained 1/4 at the start to 115 1/4 and then yielded to 113 1/4. There was little trading in the usually standard issues, changes in which were unimportant. Steel Common improved 1/4 to 86 1/4 and trifling advances were recorded in St. Paul and Southern Pacific. American Smelting receded 1/4 to 105 1/4. Baldwin Locomotive opened 1/4 higher at 102 1/4 and then fell to 110 1/4.

Trading during the late forenoon was of a professional character and was of a nature continued to advance. An advance of about 2 points was made in Marine preferred, which sold at 53 1/4, a new high record. Virginia Chemical was active, rising to 51, a gain of over 2 points for the morning. A number of the war order issues were in good demand and continued to advance. Money loaning at 1 1/4 per cent.

Moderate selling was noted during the late afternoon and price movements were generally toward lower levels. Marine preferred, however, continued strong, selling at a new high price of 55 1/4, a gain of 3 1/4 points in all. International Nickel fell four points to 22 1/4 and General Electric yielded 1/4 to 177 1/4. The railway issues and the industrial were quiet with fluctuations narrow.

The closing was irregular. Minneapolis and St. Louis issues were weak features, the common stock of 9, a loss of 4 points, and preferred at 21, a decline of 2 points. Marine preferred reacted over a point. International Nickel fell more than 5 points from the high of the morning on moderate sales. Business throughout the list was professional. Government bonds unchanged; other bonds

Quotations furnished by John D. Kline, Warren Building, Fair street, Kingston, N. Y., Tel. 1423. Correspondent of C. H. Van Buren & Company, members of Consolidated Stock Exchange of New York.

THE CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

Allis-Chalmers..... 24 1/2
American Beet Sugar..... 67 1/2
American Can & Foundry..... 71 1/2
American Coal..... 173
American Cotton Oil..... 58 1/2
American Ice Securities..... 25 1/2
American Locomotive..... 105 1/4
American Smelting & Ref. Co..... 105 1/4
American Sugar..... 86 1/4
American Telephone & Telegraph..... 128
Anaconda Copper Mining..... 89
Aetna Life, Topical & Santa Fe..... 101 1/2
Baldwin Loco..... 102 1/4
Baltimore & Ohio..... 94 1/2
Bethlehem Steel..... 48 1/2
Brooklyn Rapid Transit..... 88
Canadian Pacific..... 178 1/2
Central Leather..... 54 1/2
Chesapeake & Ohio..... 65
Chicago, M. & St. Paul..... 100 1/4
Chicago Rock Island & Pacific..... 47 1/2
Colorado Fuel & Iron..... 143 1/2
Consolidated Gas, N. Y..... 72 1/2
Cora Products..... 69
Crucible Steel..... 68 1/4
Disasters Securities..... 40 1/4
Erie..... 41 1/4
Erie 1st pd..... 57 1/2
General Electric..... 176 1/4
Goodrich Rubber..... 73 1/2
Great Northern, pd..... 124 1/2
Great Northern Ore..... 48 1/2
Hingham..... 19 1/2
Interborough Cos..... 74 1/2
Inter-Con. Mfg..... 22 1/2
Kansas City Southern..... 22 1/2
Louisville & Nashville..... 80 1/2
Lehigh Valley..... 67 1/2
Maxwell Motor..... 82 1/2
Maxwell Motor 1st pd..... 82 1/2
Maxwell Motor 2d pd..... 82 1/2
Missouri Pacific..... 15 1/2
National Lead..... 71 1/2
New York Central..... 100 1/2
N. Y. N. E. & H..... 78
New York, O. & Western..... 20 1/2
Norfolk & Western..... 110 1/2
Northern Pacific..... 115 1/2
Pennsylvania Railroad..... 89 1/2
People's Gas, Chicago..... 109
Pittsburgh Coal..... 25 1/2
Pressed Steel Car..... 61
Reading..... 82
Rep. Iron & Steel..... 32
Southern Pacific..... 109 1/2
Southern Railway..... 23 1/2
Southern Railway, pd..... 84 1/2
Studebaker..... 136
Tennessee Copper..... 60 1/2
Third Ave. R. M..... 61 1/2
U. S. Steel..... 127 1/2
U. S. Steel, pd..... 127 1/2
U. S. Rubber..... 65 1/2
Utah Copper..... 72
Virginia Car. Chem..... 49 1/2
Western Union..... 91 1/2
Westinghouse Electric..... 67 1/2

THE JOINERS.

News of Interest to Members of Fraternal Societies.

The following lodges hold regular meetings this evening:

Kingston Encampment, No. 125, I. O. O. F., in Odd Fellows' Hall, 635 Broadway.

Bricklayers' and Masons' Union, No. 14, at the city hall.

Wichita Council, Degree of Pochontas, at 5 Railroad avenue.

Franklin Lodge, No. 37, Knights of Pythias, in Pythian Hall, corner of Wall and John streets.

Kingston Council No. 275, Knights of Columbus, K. of C. club, Broadway.

Rondout Lodge, No. 343, F. & A. M., in Masonic Hall, corner Strand and Broadway.

Kingston Review, No. 398, Women's Benefit Association of the Maccabees, in Mechanics' Hall, Henry street.

The name of George Ryer, as chaplain of the Charles DeWitt Council, No. 91, I. O. U. A. M., was erroneously omitted from the list of newly installed officers published in The Freeman a few days ago.

Star of Ulster Lodge, No. 56, Shepherds of Bethlehem, has changed the time and place of its meetings to the first and third Tuesdays of each month in Jr. O. U. A. M. Hall, Henry street. At tomorrow night's meeting the installation of officers will be held.

Tuesday evening C. S. Clay Lodge, No. 528, I. O. O. F., will confer the 21st degree, the degree of friend.

As the proper conferring of this degree requires a large attendance Past Grand L. D. McLane, who has charge of all degree works and has made a specialty of the first degree, can assure a delightful time if every member of the team does his duty. The initiatory degree last week was very successfully conferred by the new team and the work was highly complimented by visitors.

At this meeting Isaac Hasbrouck, who was ill at the time of the joint installation, will be installed Noble Grand by P. D. G. M. Louis Keger, who has been deputized for the purpose.

Rufus Kelder, Deputy State Councilor of Charles DeWitt Council, No. 91, Junior Order United American Mechanics, and Charles F. Liebert and Earl Finkle, comprising the initiating staff of the local lodge, drove to Cottekill Saturday evening and installed the newly elected officers of Cottekill Council, No. 168, the ceremonies being public. The officers installed were the following: Councilor, Charles Rider; vice councilor, Henry Davis; recording secretary, William H. Rhinehart; assistant recording secretary, R. B. Walker; trustee, Charles A. Snyder; financial secretary, Walter Connor; warden, Fred Haines; conductor, Benjamin Sherman; outside sentinel, John Bailey; junior past councilor, Leroy Styles; trustee, R. B. Walker. Wives, sweethearts, 150 of them—were greatly impressed with the ceremonies, and later by the speeches of several of the Mechanics. Councilor Charles Rider called the deputy, Rufus Kelder, for a speech, and he responded with a talk on the growth of the order, especially at Cottekill. Charles Liebert and Earl Finkle, of the Kingston lodge, and Past Deputy Councilor L. C. Connor, R. B. Walker and Charles Rider, of the Cottekill Council, made speeches. Following the speeches all enjoyed a delicious banquet prepared by the members of Cottekill Council.

Waterbury in the Tombs.

"Doc" Waterbury, who is wanted by officials in many cities for securing money on the pretenses and who is wanted by Ulster county officials for alleged forfeiture of a bail bond amounting to \$1,500 in 1914, was locked up in the Tombs in New York on Sunday. "Doc" Waterbury was arrested in Montreal on Friday where he was identified by a secretary of the Illinois Surety Company. He will be arraigned today in the Tombs Police Court on complaint of Dr. M. Allen Starr of New York from whom it is alleged, he secured \$200. The charge is grand larceny.

Skating at Kingston Point.

A big crowd of skaters were gliding on the smooth ice at the Kingston Point flats Saturday and Sunday. The recent cold snap froze the ice so solid that the skating was the best of the season. Several ice boats went racing with the wind up the river and although this sport was rather chilly the crews of the crafts greatly enjoyed skimming over the smooth surface of the old Hudson in winter raiment.

DIED.

MC MAHON—In this city, Saturday, January 14, 1916, James P. McMahon.

Funeral from the residence of his son, Charles McMahon, No. 26 Third avenue, Tuesday, January 18, at 8:15 o'clock and from St. Mary's Church at 9 o'clock, where a requiem mass will be celebrated for the repose of his soul. Relatives and friends invited. Interment in St. Mary's cemetery.

RECKENWALD—In this city, Sunday, January 16, 1916, Elizabeth Reckenwald, widow of the late Andrew Reckenwald, at her home, 51 Newkirk avenue.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral from the late home Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock and 9:30 at St. Peter's Church.

The members of St. Ann's Society of St. Peter's Church are invited to attend the funeral.

Shults Held For Grand Jury.

A hearing in the case of Mendelssohn Shults, charged with assault in the second degree, when it is alleged he attacked Game Protectors DeWitt and Cross, was held at Woodstock Monday morning before Judge Elwyn. Three witnesses were sworn and the defendant waived further examination and was held for the grand jury.

Motion Denied.

The motion of Attorney A. W. Lent to set aside the verdict of \$150 for plaintiff in the case of Elizabeth Tubbs against John Whitley, was denied by Judge Jenkins this morning.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

Skating at Athletic Park this evening.

LOCAL DEATH RECORD.

Recent Deaths and Funerals of Persons in This Vicinity.

Mrs. Corbilla Korof, wife of Peter Korof, died this morning at the family home at Goldrick's Landing. Besides her husband she is survived by one son, Charles. The funeral will be held from the late residence on Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock and from St. Colman's Church at East Kingston at 9:30 o'clock, with interment in St. Mary's cemetery, this city.

The funeral of Edwin F. Ploss of Sawkill was held Sunday afternoon at the home of his mother-in-law, Mrs. George Webster, the services being conducted by the Rev. Charles F. Kennedy, rector of St. John's Church, this city. Mr. Ploss, who was a young man and only recently married, died early Thursday morning from appendicitis. Interment was in Mt. Marion cemetery.

Mrs. Albert Doyle died at her home in West Saugerties early Saturday morning in the 61st year of her age. She had been a sufferer from a complication of diseases for some time. The funeral will be held in the Blue Mountain Church Tuesday morning, Rev. J. V. Wemple, officiating. Interment in Blue Mountain cemetery. Deceased was the mother of Melvin Doyle of Saugerties.

The funeral of Girard L. McAlister, who was found dead in his office Saturday morning, was held this morning at 11 o'clock at St. John's Church, the services being conducted by the Rev. Charles F. Kennedy. The honorary pall bearers were Harold King, Thomas A. Horton, C. Gordon Reel, Charles H. De La Vergne, Senator Charles W. Walton and Alvah Staples. Interment was in Montrose cemetery.

Mrs. Elizabeth Reckenwald, widow of Andrew Reckenwald, died at her home, No. 51 Newkirk avenue, on Sunday. She is survived by three sons, Adam, and John Reckenwald of this city, and Peter Reckenwald of Brooklyn, and two daughters, Miss Mary Reckenwald of this city, and Mrs. Anna Henze of Whiteport. Mrs. Reckenwald was 83 years old and has long been a member of St. Peter's Church.

Helen M. Otis, daughter of Nelson and Margaret Otis, died on Saturday afternoon at the family residence, No. 45 Lincoln street, aged 15 years. Besides her parents she is survived by four brothers, Arthur, Harry, Nelson and Kenneth and one sister, Mrs. Claude Proper. The funeral will be held from the late residence on Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock and at 9:45 from St. Mary's Church, where a requiem mass for the repose of her soul will be offered. The interment will be in St. Mary's cemetery.

James McMahon, a well known resident of the lower section of this city, died on Saturday afternoon after a short illness. He was a ship carpenter by trade and for many years was employed at Baisden's shipyard and for a time boated on the river. He is survived by two sons, Edward of Brooklyn and Charles McMahon of this city. The funeral will be held from the residence of Charles McMahon, with whom he made his home, No. 35 Third avenue, on Tuesday morning at 8:30 o'clock and from St. Mary's Church at 9 o'clock where a requiem mass will be offered for the repose of his soul. The interment will be in St. Mary's cemetery.

Captain Walter Jackson of New Ark, N. J., one of the foremost Salvation Army workers in the United States, died on Sunday morning at the Benedictine Sanitarium from blood poisoning, the result of an accident in Newark three months ago when he was struck by a street car. He had been visiting in this city two weeks with Mrs. William Colburn of Alcazar avenue, and thought nothing of the accident until blood poisoning set in Wednesday last. Captain Jackson was well known in this city, attending the services of the local corps of the army very often. Last Sunday he conducted the services of the local corps. He is survived by his wife and fifteen year old daughter, who were with him at the time of his death. His remains were shipped this morning to Stephen Merritt Company, undertakers in New York, by A. Carr, G. Stutz, editor of the Albany Journal, and Louis P. Stutz of Albany, and the Misses Rose and Clara Stutz, teachers in the high school at Washington, and Mrs. George F. Rozafsky. The Rev. Mr. Stutz has worked so long and so well in Albany that his death came as a sudden shock to Albanians of all denominations. He was as genial as he was faithful and he was always popular with his congregation and friends outside of it. He had been pastor of the Albany Church for nearly thirty-six years and was well known not only in the synod, but throughout the synods of Missouri and Ohio. He went to the Albany Church at a time when the congregation was on the verge of disruption. Internal dissensions and financial troubles threatened to disrupt the church. By a masterly handling of the situation there soon developed a strong church. A large indebtedness

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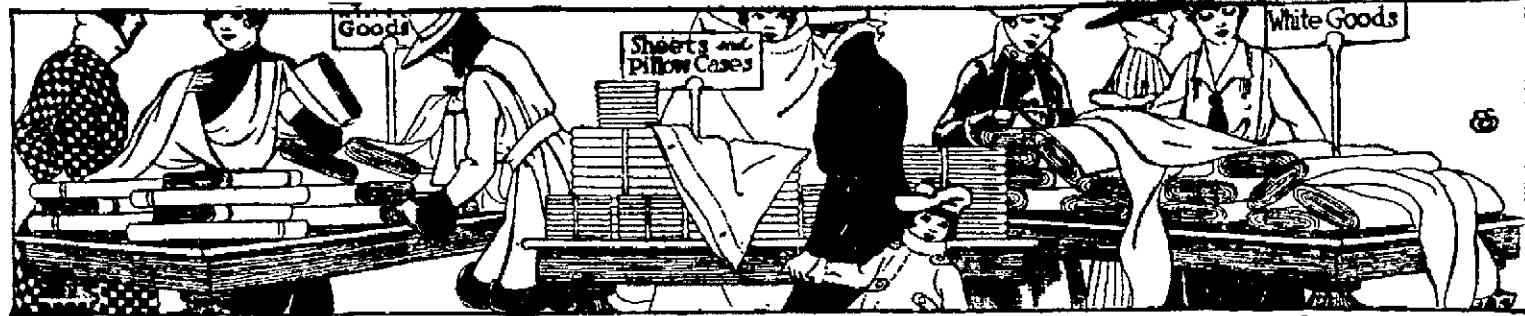
At today's prices of linens the selling prices below should be doubled.
All-linen cloths, with slight imperfections that are scarcely discernible.

63x63 inches	2.50 value.....	1.67
	3.00 value.....	1.98
72x90 inches	3.50 value.....	2.33
	4.00 value.....	2.67
	4.50 value.....	2.98
	5.00 value.....	3.33
	6.00 value.....	3.98
45x45 inches	1.75 value.....	1.17
36x36 inches	\$1 value.....	.67c
54x54 inches	2.00 value.....	1.33
	2.25 value.....	1.50
200 Linen Squares and Scarfs, values 59c to 79c, special.....		47c
\$1 Ready-to-use Table Cloths, of Linnett damask, size 58x66 inches, all hemmed. Special.....		79c

Long Cloth

32 inch Long Cloth, nainsook finish, in 10 yard cuts.	1.25 value.....	.98c
	1.50 value.....	\$1.25
	1.98 value.....	1.50
	2.50 value.....	1.98

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January White Sale of Sheets, Cases, Spreads

12½c Pillow Cases, 45x36 size, full bleached, good soft finish, extra special.....	10c
15c Pillow Cases.....	12 1-2c
29c Pillow Cases.....	19c
59c Hemmed Sheets, 81x90 size, bleached, with flat center seam. Soft finish and extra special.....	39c
90c Seamless Sheets—81x90. of good heavy muslin, Extra special.....	75c
1.25 White Bed Spreads—Crochet weave hemmed, full double bed size. Hand-some patterns that are an extra value at even 1.25, for this event.....	98c
90c Bed Spreads.....	.69c
\$2 Bed Spreads.....	\$1.48

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\$1.25 White Crepe de Chine, 36 inches wide, special.....	85c
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2.00 White Charmeuse, 40 inches wide, special.....	1.39
2.00 White Crepe Meteor, 40 inches wide, special.....	1.39
2.25 Gabardine Crepe, 40 inches wide, special.....	1.45
1.50 Pee Wee Taffeta, 40 inches wide, special.....	1.09
1.75 Satin Duchesse, 36 inches wide, special.....	1.39
1.50 Velutina, 24 inches wide, special.....	1.25
1.00 Tub Silk, 36 inches wide, special.....	85c
2.98 Chinchilla, 52 inches wide, special.....	1.98
1.50 Mon Reve, 42 inches wide, special.....	1.25
75c Golf Cloth, 32 inches wide, special.....	59c
50c Silk and Cotton Crepe, 36 inches wide, special.....	39c

January White Sale of Towels and Towelings

12 1-2c Huck Towels, extra heavy, full size, special.....	10c
17c Huck Towels, union linen, 18x36 inch size, special.....	12 1-2c
Guest size Towels, special.....	3 for 25c
35c Turkish Towels, jumbo size, 25c 16c value, special.....	12 1-2c
6c White Cotton Toweling, with red border.....	4 1-2c
12 1-2c Half Linen Toweling.....	9c
29c to 35c Towels, all linen hemstitched silver bleached, special.....	25c
12 1-2c Hand Towels, ready-to-use, union linen, special.....	10c
2 1-2 Yard Roller Towels.....	25c

White Sale Savings on Good, Warm Blankets

50c White Cotton Blankets.....	39c
89c White Cotton Blankets.....	75c
\$1.25 White Cotton Blankets.....	98c
2.50 Beacon Blankets.....	1.98
3.50 Wool Finish Plaid Blankets.....	2.98
5.00 Wool Blankets.....	3.98
\$2.98 Beacon Robe Blankets, with cord and tassel.....	2.39
\$2 Blanket Robes, fancy, wool finish special.....	1.69
\$1.50 Indian Blankets, special.....	1.19

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15c White Cotton Crepe.....	9c
25c to 35c Crepes and Poplins.....	19c
22c Fine Mercerized Batiste.....	15c
12 1-2c to 25c Percalles, fancy shirting patterns, yard.....	10c

Extra Specials!
At Less Than Today's Cost of Production
At 10c
Children's 15c Drawers

—of good muslin, finished with hemstitched tucks, sizes 2 to 10 years.

At 17c

Corset Covers

—of good cambric, French style, trimmed with embroidery insertion.

At 25c

39c Corset Covers

—of fine cambric, lace and embroidery trimmed.

At 39c

59c Gowns

—of soft muslin, slip on style finished with neat embroidery. One to a Customer

At 39c

59c Corset Covers

—of nainsook, full French style, prettily trimmed.

At 69c

98c Petticoats

—made of good muslin, embroidery flounce, with underlay; others, flounce of insertion with val edging.

At 79c

Corsets

An assortment of American Lady, Warner, and La Resista Corsets, broken sizes, various good styles and materials, regular 1.50 and \$1 values.



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75c could not buy better value!
—of fine muslin, low neck and short sleeve styles; yokes of embroidery....

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Unusually pretty—regularly 75c each
—trimmed with val. laces and insertions front and back, ribbon run.....

49c

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For qualities regularly \$1 to \$1.25
1.25 Muslin Skirts.....
1.00 Crepe Gowns.....
1.00 Muslin Gowns.....

79c

Exquisite Camisoles of Satin and Crepe de Chine

\$1 Camisoles, made of seco silk, with shadow lace and satin ribbon, in pink and white combinations.....

79c

1.50 Camisoles, pink crepe de chine, with several rows fine val lace, ribbon trim.....

98c

Camisoles made from Crepe de chine, satin and silk, prettily trimmed, with fine laces, rosebuds and ribbon. In flesh and white.....

Marcella Combinations, the three in one—Skirt, drawer and corset cover, highly favored because it fits perfectly thru the waist and hips, we carry the outfits, special 1.25 value.....

\$1

30c Drawers, made of fine quality muslin, trimmed prettily with insertion and embroidered flounces, reg. 38c quality.....

25c

75c Drawers, made of fine quality nainsook, trimmed with fine shadow lace and embroidery, open or closed, special at.....

49c

January White Sale of Lace Curtains

300 Pairs of Lace Curtains at 98c Pair

200 pair of these are manufacturers' surplus of 5 and 6 pairs of a pattern. Including Marie Antoinette, Lacet and Antique lace designs with machine cable and filet net centers, all new, values up to 2.50 per pair.
White Sale Special.....

98c

Other January White Sale Specials on Lace Curtains

\$1 Curtains, special.....	79c
1.40 Curtains, special.....	98c
\$2 Curtains, special.....	1.49
2.50 Curtains, special.....	1.98
\$3 Curtains, special.....	2.25
\$5 Curtains, special.....	3.98

Hemstitched Marquisette

Made with two inch hemstitched hem. Colors are white, cream or beige, sells regularly at 25c yard.

Special.....

18c

White Dotted Swiss

Regular C T N quality, in all size dots. Regular 15c grade, special.....

10c

\$9 Mattress \$5.98

White cotton felt mattress, full size, two parts, covered with art ticking, extra heavy, rail edge; our regular \$9 value. White Sale.....

\$5.98



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White Sale Special.....

98c

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18c

Lace Curtains Samples Average length 1 1-2 yards, some patterns matched in pairs, curtains that sell up to \$4 pair, while they last.....

19c

Bordered Voiles Special lot, open, drawn work bordered voiles, 26 in wide, white beige, regularly 12 1-2c and 15c grade, special.....

9c

Window Shade Special

Regular size shade, special American flat Holland, fitted with pull, slat, nails and fixtures, all in one package, special.....

29c

25c White Table Oil Cloth, best quality, 47 inches wide, yard.....

15c

Gowns and Skirts at 98c

For qualities regularly 1.25 to 1.50
Fine Muslin Gowns.....
Fine Muslin Skirts.....
Envelope Chemise.....

January White Sale of Quality Table Damask

65c All Linen Damask, 60 inches wide, in fine range of patterns, the yard.....

55c

90c Snow-White Damask, 66 inches wide, of extra heavy quality, yard.....

79c

\$3.00 the Dozen Napkins, to match Damask, full dinner size, special, dozen.....

2.50

1.50 Extra Fine Damask, 72 in. wide, an extra choice Scotch quality in handsome new designs, a very special at the yard.....

\$1.25

3.50 the dozen Napkins, fine beautiful damask; full size, slightly soiled, dozen.....

\$2.75

2.50 the dozen Napkins, 19 inch size, patterns match damask special at.....

\$1.98

Extra Specials!
At Less Than Today's Cost of Production

At 4½c

Regular 7c Apron

Ginghams

—neat blue and white effects, fast colors.

At 7½c

Regular 10c Outing

Flannels

—good heavy quality and good patterns,

At 10c

Regular 13c

Cotton Batts

—well known "Daisy" white cotton, 14 ounces,

At 15c

Regular 25c to 39c white Cotton

Dress Materials

At 19c

Regular 25c

Shirting

—neat stripes, in madras and pongee.

At 39c

Regular 59c

Sheets

—full 81x90 size, soft finish muslin.

At 1.48

Wool finished

Blankets

—worth today \$2 and more, per pair.

At 2.39

"Beacon" Robe

Blankets

—with cord and tassel, today's value 3.50

MONDAY, JANUARY 17.

Sun rises, 7:22; sets, 4:59.
Weather, clear, following light snow. Humidity, 45 to 61.

The Temperature.

The lowest point registered by the Freeman's thermometer last night was 31 degrees. The highest point registered up to noon today was 21 degrees.

Weather Forecast.

Washington, Jan. 17.—Eastern New York: Fair, continued cold to night. Tuesday fair, not so cold. Fresh to strong westerly winds.

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Spinach, peck	15c
Kale, peck	15c
Lettuce, head	5c
Sweet Potatoes, qt.	8c
Rutabagas, pk.	20c
Sauerkraut, qt.	6c
Red Onions, 3 qts.	10c

MINSTREL TICKETS
SELLING RAPIDLY

There are but a few reserved seats left for the Elks Minstrels this evening and Tuesday evening. The rapidity of the advance sale was a surprise to everybody and is evidence that the public feels sure of an entertainment which will equal anything in the professional line to be given here this winter.

Special interest attaches to the play "King Cole's Kingdom" which forms the last part of the program. This skit was written by Mrs. George Chandler and will be played by a cast of the cleverest amateurs in the city. Even grim war has its humorous side and the action of this little sketch deals with such mighty matters as kings and bombs and armies in a manner that gives no offense, but adds to the gaiety of nations.

The costumes, furnished by A. W. Tams of New York, have arrived and are remarkably handsome and appropriate. Mrs. Robert A. Liscom will act as wardrobe mistress.

No Heirs to \$40,000.

Because no heirs have been found, the \$40,000 estate of the late Mrs. Ella Kavanagh, of Nyack, may revert to the state.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

Elmer Palen will have at his next sale Tuesday, January 18, at 682-684 Broadway, Kingston, N. Y., a carload of good second-hand horses from New York in addition to his regular run of commission horses.

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POULTRY SHOW IS
HELD IN HIGHLAND

With 107 specimens, representing 15 different breeds on exhibition, the poultry show staged in the carpentry room of the Highland high school proved a great success. Upwards of 200 were in attendance and D. W. Young, of Monroe, who judged the fowls, made the awards as follows:

Best cock of show (Barred Rock), E. Miller.

Best hen (White Leghorn), Benj. Johnson.

Best cockerel (White Wyandotte), Bert Elting.

Best pullet (White Orpington), H. Wilcox.

1. Cock—Bert Elting.

2. Cock—W. J. Weaver.

1. Hen—Benj. Johnson.

2. Hen—Bert Elting.

1. Cockerel—Bert Elting.

2. Cockerel—W. J. Weaver.

1-2. Pullet—Bert Elting.

These were all White Leghorns.

1. Buff Rock Hen—Bert Elting.

1. White Minorca Cockerel—George Chase.

1. White Minorca Pullet—George Chase.

1. White Rock Cockerel—George Chase.

1. White Rock Pullet—George Chase.

These birds of Mr. Chase's all won first prize at the Madison square Garden last week.

1. Cock—Ed. Miller.

1. Hen—Ed. Miller.

1. Cockerel—Highland High School.

2. Cockerel—Miss A. Terwilliger.

2. Pullet—High School.

These were all Barred Rocks.

1. Cock—Tom Plant.

2. Cock—Charles Miller.

1-2. Hen—Josiah Schoonmaker.

1-2. Pullet—Burr Palmateer.

1. Cockerel—Tom Plant.

2. Cockerel—Peter Schantz.

These birds were Rhode Island Reds.

White Orpington.

1. Cock—O. Shiley.

2. Hen—H. E. Wilcox.

2. Hen—O. Shiley.

1. Cockerel—H. E. Wilcox.

1. Pullet—H. E. Wilcox.

Black Minorca.

1. Cock—D. H. Merritt.

2. Cock—William Decker.

1-2. Hen—William Decker.

Trio.

Trio Buff Rock—D. H. Merritt.

Trio Buff Orpington—Duke Wiley.

Trio Rose Comb—White Leghorn—Charles Collins.

Trio Brown Leghorn—George Thompson.

Rhode Island Whites—Albert Martin.

Trio Ancona—Virgil Perkins.

Brahma—Charles Miller.

LYONSVILLE.

Lyonsville, Jan. 17.—Asa W. Dudley, the town collector, was at the store of H. Wager on Friday to collect taxes. Jesse J. Christian was his assistant.

James Trowbridge has employment at Napanoch. His family moved there on Tuesday, where they will keep house.

Some of the farmers are busy drawing lime from the lime kiln of John Basten at Stone Ridge.

Miss May Markle spent Wednesday with her sister, Mrs. Ray Davis. Jacob H. Barley has purchased a new automobile, Hudson 1916 Model, 6 cylinder. He will bring the machine home as soon as the roads are in condition.

Among the Kingston visitors on Saturday from this place were Mrs. E. Davis and son, Ray, and Mrs. L. A. Alexander and son, Otto.

OLIVERIA.

Oliveria, Jan. 17.—Grade examinations will be held in the public school here next Thursday and Friday.

Miss Butler, our new teacher, spent Saturday and Sunday at her home in Kingston.

The town collector, Fred Russell of Mt. Pleasant, was at the Mountain House Friday receiving taxes.

Henry Jacobson of Chichester was a visitor here Saturday.

It is said that special services may be held in the Methodist Episcopal Church for a couple of weeks, commencing soon.

Mrs. George E. Jocelyn is in New Jersey for a few weeks' stay with her son and daughter.

Fire and Water.

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PORT EWEN.

Port Ewen, Jan. 17.—Mrs. Maude Walker and mother, Mrs. Tillson, of Green street, have gone to Syracuse to visit relatives for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Atkins of Broadway spent the week end with friends in Poughkeepsie.

A cabinet and business meeting of the Epworth League will be held Tuesday evening in the chapel at 7:30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. James Madison of Poughkeepsie spent the week end with Mrs. Madison's mother, Mrs. Viola Taylor, on Broadway.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Wesley Van Wagenen, who are spending the winter in Poughkeepsie, were guests of their son, Lester Van Wagenen, on Green street.

Port Ewen Lodge, No. 656, I. O. O. F., will meet this evening at 7:30 o'clock in their rooms in Poughkeepsie.

Little Miss Bernice May Craig of Poughkeepsie, the guest of her aunt, Miss Mae Horton, on Broadway.

William Hinkley, who passed away very suddenly at his home on Riverside avenue Saturday, January 8, leaves to mourn his loss three sons and three daughters, William of Kingston, and John and Fred of this place. Mrs. Moses Every of Kingston, Mrs. Elery Robinson of Poughkeepsie and Mrs. Harry Winne of Andes.

His funeral, which was private, was held Thursday at his late residence. Interment in Port Ewen cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Schoonmaker and daughter, Ethelyn, of Schryver street, were guests of Mrs. Schoonmaker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Silas W. Ronk, on Riverside avenue, on Sunday.

The "Goo Goo" Club of this village will hold their third annual dance in Pythian Hall this evening. These young men are desirous of seeing all lovers of "twirling" at the hall tonight, as they are looking forward to a jolly good time of pleasure and fun. McLean's full orchestra of Kingston will furnish the music, and every effort has been put forth by the committee to make this dance the "hit of the season."

Mrs. Martin Saunders of Rhinebeck spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. James I. Van Aken on Riverside avenue.

Miss Jeanette Doyle of Kingston was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Le Grand Doyle, on Riverside avenue on Sunday.

Mrs. Christopher Ricks is ill at her home on Salem street.

A meeting of the Sunday school board of the Methodist Church will be held Wednesday evening at the home of George W. Shults on Broadway.

The Epworth League Society of the Methodist Church will hold a "Dime Social" at the home of Mrs. John Lynn on Hamilton street, Tuesday evening, January 25. Kindly keep this date in mind and all who can be present at this social and help along a most worthy cause, whose motto is: "Look Up and Lift Up."

Frederick Cormack and Maurice Cormack, New York city spent the week end with their mother, Mrs. Marjorie Cormack, on Broadway.

A meeting will be held in the chapel of the Methodist Church this evening at 7 o'clock to elect a lay electoral delegate to conference.

At the service held in the Methodist Church last evening, the Rev. Eugene A. Bookhout and his congregation were surprised and overwhelmingly pleased to welcome the congregation of the Reformed Church at the evening service.

Their presence and the presence also of several members of the Connelly congregation was a great stimulus to all. Professor Phillips sang two solos, which were well rendered, and the duet, "The King of Love My Shepherd Is," sung by Miss Mildred Olsen and Professor Phillips, was grand, their voices blending beautifully, and their articulation was so clear, also, the due by Professor Phillips and Mrs. Josephine Hotaling.

"Somebody Cares," was fine, Miss Harriet Olsen was the accompanist and she played with grace and ease. The entire service is one long to be remembered by the spiritual impress on all present.

Division No. 1 of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Church will hold an entertainment and social, Tuesday evening, February 1. Further particulars will be announced later.

Will Repeat Good Entertainment.

"Striking Oil, or the Family Mix-up," which was presented to a large and delighted audience at the Clinton Avenue Methodist Episcopal Church parlors on January 7th, will be repeated on Friday evening, January 21st, at the request of a large number of members of the congregation and their friends. The entertainment is one of the best amateur theatrical efforts presented in Kingston in a long time.

PLATTEKILL.

Plattekill, Jan. 17.—A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry P. Geroy, Tuesday, January 13.

During the next three months the meeting of the Christian Service Society of the Plattekill Methodist Church will be held Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Sunday school room.

Ernest Terwilliger of Poughkeepsie spent several days recently with his aunt, Mrs. A. D. Wager.

Macabees Association Dance.

A dance will be given by the Red Side of the Women's Benefit Association of the Macabees following the meeting tonight at Mechanics Hall, Henry street. The public is invited and a small admission fee will be charged. The meeting begins at 7:30 o'clock and dancing at 9 o'clock.

Hudson Tuition Fees Increased.

The board of education has increased tuition rates at the Hudson high school to \$20 a year for non-resident pupils because of additional cost of maintaining the new high school building. A registration fee of \$5 was charged previously.

Coach For the Army Team.

Captain Ernest Graves, of the engineer corps has been chosen head coach for the Army football team.

MENKE'S DAILY
SPORTING LETTER

(By Frank G. Menke.)

New York, Jan. 17.—Gotham fans are "pulling" for Harry F. Sinclair and James E. Gaffney to secure a controlling interest in the New York Giants.

The fans realize that only through a change in ownership can the Giants be strengthened to a point where they will be sure to be contenders for the pennant. They know that the roster of the Giants at the present time does not indicate that the club will do much better in 1916 than it did last season when it finished in the cellar.

Harry Hempstead, present owner of the Giants, is one of the finest sportsmen in the game today. He has been actively interested in the game since the death of his father-in-law, John T. Brush. He has figured conspicuously in a baseball way during the past three years, yet never once has a smudge appeared on his record. Hempstead is clean—clear through—and he has been an honor to the game.

New Yorkers would regret the passing of Hempstead, yet with the coming of Sinclair into the National League and the re-entry of Jim Gaffney they would be blessed with two sportsmen who rank in Hempstead's class—two thoroughbreds who can win—or lose—without a whimper; who love the game for the game's sake.

Hempstead's Plight.

Hempstead has found pleasure in baseball—and profit. Yet he realizes that he is placed in a peculiar position now. The fact that the Giants finished in the cellar last year does not enthrall the fans here over the 1916 prospects of the club. Hempstead willingly would pay a big sum to secure some of the Federal stars, if he could get them, in an effort to bolster up the team. But the chances are he cannot. Without them his 1916 team looks no better than a second division outfit. And New Yorkers won't support such a club.

But in case of change in ownership the situation would be vastly different. Sinclair controls the services of about 30 or 35 of the best players in the Federal League. Of this number at least 25 ought to land major league berths this year. Sinclair would keep the pick of his "string," if he secured the Giants, and turn them over to John McGraw. Included in the list would be Magee, Kauf, Nick Cullip, the left-handed twirler, Fred Anderson, Ed. Konetchy, the first sacker, Rousch and Scheer, the outfielders who performed in sensational style for the Newark Feds last year, and several others.

What Sinclair Could Do.

With such a squad of players, added to six or seven of the stars of the present Giant outfit, McGraw would have a team that ought to rank as a world-beater—a team that ought to put the Giants back on the map again in a baseball way.

And so it is because Sinclair and Gaffney can bring with them a team that the Gothamites are yearning for a change in ownership. They honor Harry Hempstead and they respect him for his sportsmanship in the other years, but most of all, New York wants a winner. Hempstead, it seems, cannot give it to them. Sinclair and Gaffney can.

And so the Giant fans want Sinclair and Gaffney to come and lead the team out of the vale of defeat—up to the crest of baseball.

1916 Giant Line-up?

What would the Giant line-up in 1916 be like if Sinclair secured control of the club and McGraw over all his players? John McGraw?

Well, John would have the choice of the following for his outfielders: Benny Kauf, the demon clouter; Dave Robertson, who gave real promise in the Giant outfield in 1915; Jack Dalton, former Brooklyn Dodger who played with the Buffalo Feds last year; George Burr ranked as the greatest outfielder in the National League in 1914; Ed. Housch and Al Scheer, of the Newark Feds, who were regarded as among the greatest outfielders in the Federal League; Vin Campbell, the slugger, with the Newark Feds last year; Al Shaw and Art Gilmore, with the Kansas City Feds in 1915; and three or four others.

In the infield, McGraw could choose from his 1915 regulars in addition to the following Feds: Lee Magee, who played a sensational game at second base and shortstop for the Brooklyn Feds, and who finished second in the league batting; Ed. Konetchy, with the 1915 Pittsburgh Feds, once ranked as the greatest first baseman in the National League; Hal Chase, with the 1915 Buffalo Feds, regarded as the flashiest fielding first sacker the game has ever known; Jack Emsom, once with the Reds, who shone with especial brilliance at short for the Newark Feds; and a half dozen others.

Tom Seaton, of the Brooklyn Feds; Cullip and Packard, who pitched great ball for the Kansas City Feds; Fred Anderson, the star of the Buffalo pitching staff; Moselet, Ruelbach, Moran, Kaiserling and Falkenberg, also of Newark, who starred for Newark in 1915, and three or four other Fed stars would be at the disposal of McGraw in the wedding together of a 1916 pitching staff for the Giants.

Yes, Oscar, if Sinclair bought the Giants, the Giants would have quite a ball club.

ULSTER PARK.

Ulster Park, Jan. 17.—At the annual meeting of the Christian Endeavor held at the home of Leslie Herring Monday evening the following officers were elected for the next six months: President, George Eckert; vice president, Leslie Herring; secretary, Kenneth Van Oostenbruge; treasurer, Mrs. J. H. Van Vliet; organist, Julia Churchwell; assistant organist, H. V. Story; committee—Lookout, Mrs. George Eckert; prayer meeting, H. V. Story; mission, C. Van Oostenbruge; information, Mrs. G. DeGraff; social, Julia Churchwell; flower, Mrs. W. Terpening; ushers, Ernest Eckert and Kenneth Van Oostenbruge.

The Willing Workers will hold

FUR TABLE, \$1.97.

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NEMO CORSETS, \$3 up. 50c Brassieres Free with every Nemo Corset for this sale.

Ready Made Garment Sale

Beginning Saturday, January 15 and Continuing Until January 31

Special sale including all Ladies' Winter Coats, Suits, Furs, Dresses, Silk Petticoats Children's Winter Coats, Furs, and Dresses

Everything possible must be closed out before annual inventory time, February 1

A letter recently received from a customer residing outside of the city contained this statement; "dollar for dollar, I have found that your store offers the best values in town."

Special White Goods Sale

Including Corsets, Muslin Underwear, Bed Spreads, White Wool Blankets, Embroideries India Linens, and White Dress Materials

TABLE NO. 1, 39c.	TABLE NO. 4, 8c.	TABLE NO. 7, 49c.
Corset Covers, Drawers, Gowns and Skirts, regular value at 39c.	Embroidery, Edging, Insertion and Beading, value 10c to 15c, at 8c yd.	Children's White and Colored Dresses, value 69c, 97c up to \$1.25, at 49c.
TABLE NO. 2, 69c.	TABLE NO. 5, 12 1/2c.	TABLE NO. 8, 97c.
Skirts, Gowns, Corset Covers and Brassieres, regular \$1.00 values at 69c.	Embroidery, Edging, Insertion and Beading, value 15c to 25c, at 12 1/2c yd.	Silk Messaline Petticoats in Colors, value \$1.50 to \$1.97, at 97c.
TABLE NO. 3, 88c.	TABLE NO. 6, 25c.	TABLE NO. 9, 49c.
Combination Skirts and Gowns, regular \$1.00 to \$1.25, at 88c.	All-over Embroideries, Edging and Beading, value 25c to 69c, at 25c yd.	White and colored Shirt Waists, value 69c and 97c, at 49c.
BOYS' UNDERWEAR 19c.	The Progressive Downtown Store	\$1.25 Bed Spreads... \$9c
Sizes 24, 26, 28. Value 25c, to close out at... 19c	26 Broadway, Kingston	\$1.50 Bed Spreads... \$1.15
		\$1.97 Bed Spreads... \$1.50
		\$2.97 Bed Spreads... \$2.35

their meeting Friday at the home of Mrs. H. V. Story at 2:30 p. m. All are invited to attend.

The leader of the Christian Endeavor next Sunday night will be Mrs. J. Van Vliet; topic, "Amusement That is Worth While," Eccl. 3: 1-15. Preaching service next Sunday evening in the Brick Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wells and Victoria Lust spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Eckert.

Miss Jennie Terpening spent a few days of last week with her sister-in-law, Mrs. E. Terpening, of Kingston.

Ruth and Edger DeGraff are ill with the grip.

METTACAHONTS.

Mettacahonts, Jan. 17.—Several from this place attended the meetings at the church on Wednesday evening.

Erastus Mericle of Highland is visiting relatives in this place and Whitefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Baker and son, Kenneth, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Kelder and son, Franklin, and Mr. and Mrs. William H. Miller and daughter, Viola, and the Misses Florence and Blanche Markle were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Osterhoudt on Thursday.

The funeral of Mrs. Maria Wood was held on Thursday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Mary Markle.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Osterhoudt and son, Jansen, and Mrs. Gertrude Osterhoudt were pleasantly entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eli Osterhoudt on Friday.

The Sunday school elected the following officers for the coming year: Stanley Kelder, superintendent; Miss Edna Markle, organist; Miss Ruth Krom, assistant organist; Mrs. Eli Rider, assistant organist; Miss Ruth Krom, secretary; Mrs. Roy Baker, treasurer; J. H. Wood, Preston Enderly, Ernest Baker, librarians; Mrs. Benjamin Burger, female superintendent.

A crowd of young people spent an enjoyable evening at the home of our teacher, Miss Simpson, on Friday evening at Pataukunk.

PRICES GOOD ALL WEEK!

This arrangement gives the country people a chance to share in these bargains the day that they happen to be in the city.

Telephone Your Order. Delivery Free. All Foods Guaranteed.

MEATS		MEATS	
Prices Good All Week		Tuesday and Wednesday	
Prime Ribs		Round, Sirloin or Porterhouse Steaks, lb.	18c
BEEF		Fresh Hamburg Steak, lb.	12½c
lb. 14c		Home Made Sausage, lb.	14c
Plate Corned		Breast Young Lamb, lb.	10c
BE		Shoulder Lamb Chops, lb.	16c
lb. 10c			
Shoulder Cuts			
STEAK			
lb. 12½c			
Lean Salt			
PORK			
lb. 12½c			

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Sunbeam Green Asparagus Stalks, tin.	23c
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Red Alaska Salmon, tall tin.	17c
Potash or Lye, large can.	8c
Mohican Mince Meat, pkg.	9c
Fancy Broken Rice, 6 lbs.	25c
Seneca Sauerkraut, large can.	9c
Mohican Tomato Soup, 2 tins.	15c

These Prices Will Clean Up Our Car

Oranges, Regular 29c quality. This week, doz.	21c	Grape Fruit Reg. 10c straight, bright, 4 for	25c
By the Box	\$2.50	By the Box	\$3.25

Buy a box, sell part of them to your neighbor. It's fancy Florida fruit. Thin skin. Plenty of juice.

If you like them for breakfast buy a box. Please the neighbors. Sell them a dozen at cost.

18c doz. TANGERINES, 18c doz.
This size has always sold at 30c. See them.

Potatoes by the Peck..... 35c Cabbage by the Basket..... 35c

28c lb. Minnesota Table Butter lb. 28c
Our Good Mohican Creamery, lb. 31c

29c doz. Fancy Selected Eggs doz. 29c
Every egg candled. They are guaranteed to cook well.

11c lb. Best Pure Lard lb. 11c
Swift's three grades Butterine. All kinds fancy Cheese.

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On Jan. 29th we open a big store at Passaic, N. J., the following week a big market in Boston, Mass. This tends to get your Lower Foods Prices. The more stores we operate the larger our buying power.

REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION CALL

The following call for a state convention on February 15 has been issued by the Republican state committee:

New York, January 15, 1916.
To the Republican Voters of the State of New York:

The Republican voters of the state of New York are hereby requested to send delegates and alternate delegates to a state convention to be held at Carnegie Hall, in the city of New York, on the 15th day of February, 1916, at 8 o'clock p. m., for the following purposes:

1.—To recommend to the enrolled Republican electorate of the state, for nomination at the primary election to be held April 4, 1916, four candidates for delegates-at-large, and four candidates for alternate delegates-at-large, to the national convention of the Republican party, to be held at Chicago, Illinois, on the 7th day of June, 1916.

2.—To transact such other business as may properly come before the convention.

Delegates and alternate delegates to the state convention shall be chosen in such manner as the county committee, or executive committee thereof, of each county may decide, provided however, that if 3 per centum or more of the enrolled Republican voters of any assembly district petition therefor, then the chairman of the county committee must issue a call for a primary election to be held in said assembly district on or before the 8th day of February, 1916, at such place or places of convenient access in said district as said chairman may direct, and due notice of said primary election shall be given in a Republican paper or papers published in said county at least 6 days prior thereto.

Such petitions must be filed with the chairman of said committee on or before the 26th day of January, 1916, and meetings of the county committee, or executive committee thereof, for purposes mentioned in this call, shall be held not earlier than the 27th day of January, 1916, nor later than the 1st day of February, 1916, and the chairman of each county committee is hereby directed to publish a notice in one or more Republican papers in said county at least 6 days prior to said meeting of said county committee, or executive committee thereof, notifying the enrolled Republican voters of the date of said meeting, and that a primary election will be held provided petitions are filed as above set forth.

Immediately after delegates have been chosen to said state convention the chairman of the county committee shall forward a list of same to the secretary of the Republican State Committee, 43 West 39th street, New York city.

Each assembly district in the state will be entitled to representation in accordance with the basis established by the state convention of 1914. A schedule of representation is hereto annexed, showing the number of delegates and alternate delegates to which the several assembly districts are entitled.

FREDERICK C. TANNER,
Chairman.
LAFAYETTE B. GLEASON,
Secretary.

According to the schedule of representation, the First district of Ulster county is entitled to 6 delegates and the Second district is entitled to 5.

Arrow Five to Play Here.

The Arrow Five basketball team of Catskill and the Crescent Club team of this city will clash at Washington Hall on Wednesday evening. This game is the result of a challenge issued by the Arrow Five and accepted by the Crescents. On New Year's afternoon the Crescent team defeated the Arrows by a close score, and a short time after, this paper received a notice to the effect that the Arrows desired another game as they were positive they could easily defeat the Crescents. Their excuse for their former defeat was that they were minus the services of their best players, also to the fact that they had engaged in a hard contest on the previous evening.

The many fans who saw the game on New Year's were well satisfied, as it certainly was a hummer, from start to finish, and the result was continually in doubt until the final moments of play, as the close score of 29 to 27 indicates.

If the Arrows are all they claim themselves to be this week's contest should prove to be even better than the first, as the Crescents have kept in tip top condition by continuous practice.

It is expected that the hall will be taxed to capacity to accommodate the many who will be present, as the game has aroused a considerable amount of comment, the Arrows having nearly as many friends in Kingston as the Crescents. Added to this the Arrows have announced that they will bring a large delegation of rooters to Kingston from Catskill, Saugerties, and several of the smaller towns.

The game will be started promptly at 8:30 o'clock, and will be followed by dancing, the music for which will be furnished by McLean's orchestra. A small admission will be charged in order to cover the expenses of the contest.

Frank Verdict Set Aside.

Supreme Court Justice Rudd of Albany has set aside the verdict of the jury rendered at the December trial term of the supreme court in favor of Barnett Frank of this city against Harris Hurewitz of New York. In this action Barnett Frank sought to recover of Hurewitz the sum of \$625 for the sale of furs which he claimed to have sold to Hurewitz, and also a further sum for damages for failure to deliver a quantity of serge cloth which Frank claimed to have purchased from Hurewitz. The defendant claimed that he never purchased the furs from Frank, never saw them and the money which Frank paid him for the serge was credited on an account which Frank owed at the time. The case was tried at the December term of supreme court before Judge Rudd

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25% OFF WINTER CLEARING SALE

Last Year, at this time, we thought we had reached the pinnacle of success in this semi-annual event--But that was a hugely mistaken idea--Because this season's selling has so far outdone last year's that a comparison is surprising.

Season after season the patronage of this sale grows larger and still larger. The mere announcement that the sale is on, is sufficient to bring the people to this store from a hundred miles around--Regardless of weather conditions they come, and keep a-coming, with the following 25 per cent off line-up in mind.

\$30 Suits	\$28 Suits	\$25 Suits	\$22.50 Suits
NOW	NOW	NOW	NOW
\$22.50	\$21.00	\$18.75	\$16.88
\$20 Suits	\$18 Suits	\$16.50 Suits	\$15 Suits
NOW	NOW	NOW	NOW
\$15.00	\$13.50	\$12.38	\$11.25
\$13.85 Suits	\$12.50 Suits	\$11.85 Suits	\$9.85 Suits
NOW	NOW	NOW	NOW
\$10.39	\$9.38	\$8.89	\$7.39
\$9.85 Overcoats	11.85 Overcoats	12.50 Overcoats	13.85 Overcoats
NOW	NOW	NOW	NOW
\$7.39	\$8.89	\$9.38	\$10.39
\$15 Overcoats	16.50 Overcoats	\$18 Overcoats	\$20 Overcoats
NOW	NOW	NOW	NOW
\$11.25	\$12.38	\$13.50	\$15.00
22.50 Overcoats	\$25 Overcoats	\$28 Overcoats	\$30 Overcoats
NOW	NOW	NOW	NOW
\$16.88	\$18.75	\$21.00	\$22.50

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PORK, PORK, PORK.	STEAKS, STEAKS, STEAKS.	HAMS, HAMS, HAMS.
Pure Pork Sausage, lb. 12½c	Best Porterhouse Steak, lb. 16c	Best Premium Ham, lb. 14c
Fresh Pigs Hams, lb. 12½-14c	Best Sirloin Steak, lb. 16c	Best California Ham, lb. 10½c
Pork Chops, lb. 10-12½c	Best Round Steak, lb. 15c	Best Sliced Ham, lb. 20c
Pork Roast, lb. 10-12½c	Best Chuck Steak, lb. 10c	Best Bacon by Strip, lb. 18c
Belly Pork, lb. 10-12½c	Best Hamburg Steak, the good kind, lb. 12½c	Best Cooked Ham, lb. 35c
Fresh Shoulders, lb. 10c		Best Mince Ham, lb. 18c
Pigs Heads and Pigs Feet, lb. 5c		Best Bologna, lb. 15c
Home Made Head Cheese—Like Mother Used To Make, lb. 10c		Best Liverwurst, lb. 14c

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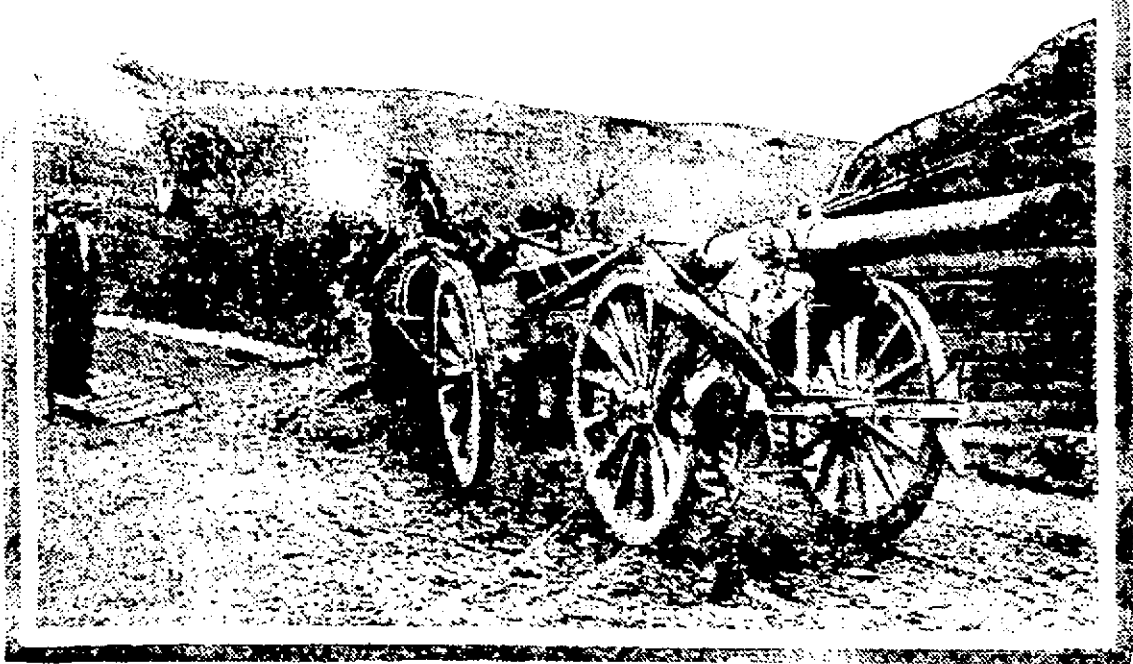
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This picture taken a few weeks ago when the Germans and French were fighting desperately for the possession of the Hartmannswillerkopf, shows a French long range gun being hurriedly shifted to a new position to repel an attack by the Germans.

Begin Training in the Nursery.
The most important part of education is right training in the nursery. The soul of the child in his play should be trained to that sort of excellence in which when he grows to manhood he will have to be perfected.—Plato.

Worth While Quotation.
The idle man stands outside of God's plan, outside of the ordained scheme of things, and the truest self-respect, the noblest independence, and the most genuine dignity are not to be found there.—J. G. Holland.

New Tuberculosis Treatment.
Pulmonary tuberculosis is being treated by a Danish physician with air that has been subjected to the action of ultraviolet rays, which seems to have a healing effect when inhaled through the mouth.

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2:30, 7:15, 9, 10c.

TONIGHT.

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7:30, 9:00 5c, 10c

SOME PICTURES

TONIGHT

Y. L. S. E.

Edith Storey and Antonio Moreno in

"THE DUST OF EGYPT"

Vitaphone Blue Ribbon Feature.

Tomorrow—"A Mother's Confession"

Also, "Chapter 27 of the Diamond From the Sky"

When She Appreciated Charlie.

"I hope you don't indulge in gossip," I'm afraid, replied young Mrs. Torkins, "that I like it. Of course, I don't try to make any up for myself, and I don't care much for what my friends now and then mention. But I must say that Charlie was never so interesting as he was while he was serving on the grand jury."

ANNUAL MEETING OF
COUNTY FARM BUREAU

Practical Talk on Farm Management
by Prof. Livermore and Explana-
tion of Farm Bureau Work by Mr.
Burritt Follow Election of Officers
For the Year.

Over 40 members attended the an-
nual meeting of the Ulster County
Farm Bureau Association, held in the
court house on Saturday afternoon,
and received the benefit of two excel-
lent talks, one by M. C. Burritt, head
of the state bureau of farm bureaus,
and the other by Prof. Livermore of
Cornell College of Agriculture. Man-
ager Hook's report, the substance of
which has already appeared in The
Freeman, was presented and the
treasurer, David Burgevin, presented
a report showing a balance of \$150
in the treasury. Vice President A.
G. Jansen presided in the absence of
the president, Judge Clearwater.

In appreciation of the services ren-
dered by Judge Clearwater in acting
as president during the early strug-
gles of the organization and devoting
his time and influence to its welfare
until it had attained sufficient
strength to stand alone, it was unani-
mously voted to create the office of
honorary president and elect Judge
Clearwater as the first incumbent.
Other officers were elected as fol-
lows: President, Chester Young of
Napanoch; first vice president, J. A.
Hepworth of Milton; second vice
president, Rufus Lefever of Rosen-
dale; third vice president, A. E. Jan-
sen of New Paltz; secretary and
treasurer, David Burgevin of King-
ston; executive committee, Supervisor
William S. Harrisborn of Paltkill,
C. E. Davis of Lake Katrine, Matthew
T. E. DeWitt of Hurley, George Bur-
gevin and Herbert Carl of Kingston.

In his address defining and ex-
plaining the farm bureau Mr. Burritt
said that the farm bureau is not fully
understood, because it is new. Insti-
tutes we have had for 30 years but in
many cases it has been found that in
some ways the institute didn't fit local
conditions and needs. The farm
bureau is, for one thing, to make the
institute and the other educational
work of the state and nation fit. The
farm bureau has an executive com-
mittee and an advisory council the
members of which are scattered over
the county and therefore know local
conditions and needs and as all agri-
cultural educational work is now to
be done through the farm bureau it
is possible to adapt the work to the
needs of the localities. The whole
effort is to teach better farming, but
one man cannot do it any more than
one man can make a church a suc-
cess. There must be an interested
and working membership and it is for
that reason that the farm bureau as-
sociation is a membership affair. As
one is more interested in an organiza-
tion or a business in which he has
something invested, there is a mem-
bership fee of \$1 a year—not so much
as the dollar is needed to en-
sure the active interest of the mem-
bers.

The farm bureau is providing
means of doing things that we realize
ought to be done but that we do not
do individually. The independence of
the farmer, growing out of his
necessities in the early days of the
country, is one of the assets of our
nation, but independence may be car-
ried to excess. City dwellers have
been counseled by the force of cir-
cumstances to cooperate. They must
have sidewalks, sewers, water supply,
fire protection and other things that
can be obtained only in that way, by
working together. Farmers are not
compelled to co-operate in this way
and therefore have not formed the
habit of working together and it is
hard to get them to do so. But as
the farming industry advances the
necessity for working together grows.
The easiest way to start co-operating
is in educational matters and if they
cannot get together along educational
and demonstration lines, how can
they ever get together along other
lines?

For many years Ulster county has
produced good fruit, but there was
only now and then a person in the
county who knew it. Ask the mar-
ket man or the consumer to name the
fruit producing counties of the state
and few would mention Ulster. This
year Ulster county fruit growers got
together and exhibited at the state
fair—and came home with the first
prize. That was practical co-operation
that made Ulster county fruit
known and was a benefit to every
Ulster county fruit grower. It adver-
tised Ulster county fruit more than
Ulster county farm products had ever
been advertised before.

The farm bureau is a clearing
house for educational work in the
county. Heretofore there has been
no program, no system, no plan in
agricultural education outside the
schools. The farm bureau gives a
means of systematizing the work. In
the matter of the use of lime, for in-
stance, it arranges demonstrations,
makes the result known, finds the
sources of lime supply, obtains
freight rates and in some cases has
the cost of obtaining lime in half.
The use of lime has increased in
some counties from 5 per cent of the
farms to 50 per cent. Every farmer
knew lime was a good thing and he
thought sometimes about using it,
but he didn't know where to get it or
what its cost or what the freight rate
would be and so he took it out in
thinking. But when the information
was supplied by the bureau, he acted.

The success of a county farm bu-
reau does not depend on the govern-
ment of the state, the nation or the
county, but on the interest and
activity of the members. Where there
is a large and interested member-
ship, there will be the greatest suc-
cess and the greatest benefit to the
farmers of the county. Where there
is a small and listless membership
there will be failure.

Farm Management.

Prof. Livermore of Cornell Agri-
cultural College, who didn't look or
speak like a professor and is not a
silver-tongued orator, but just a
plain talker with ability to talk com-
mon sense, talked about farm
management, explaining by the aid
of charts just what was meant by
farm management. The report of
the survey, the report of the

man a few days ago. Production and
marketing were the big things in
farm management, he said, and the
latter could not be studied in lab-
oratories or demonstrated on trial
plots. One had to go to the farmer
to find out about farm management
and in the eight years this work had
been in progress surveys had been
made on some 4,000 farms. Where-
ever these surveys were made, there
was a striking similarity in the
showing, so that there were certain
basic points that seemed pretty well
proved. The survey is designed to
show what the farmer is making.
The phrase, "labor income," used to
designate the profit, means what is
left to the farmer after he has paid
all expenses of the farm and the in-
terest on his investment. This varies.
Why? Health, soil, distance
from market, size of farm, executive
ability, industry, system of cropping,
relation of stock to crops, all have a
bearing, but the three great factors
have been found to be size of the
business, kind of production and
diversity.

As to the influence of size and
business, Prof. Livermore showed a
chart of the average labor income on
farms of varying sizes in this
county, size being the only factor
considered. The average for farms
of 40 acres or less was a loss of \$94;
for farms of 41 to 60 acres, a loss of
\$54; for farms of 61 to 80 acres, a
labor income of \$208; for farms of
over 80 acres, a labor income of
\$502.

Another chart showed that the
larger the farm the larger the num-
ber of acres worked per \$100 of
labor, the figures ranging from four
acres on farms of 30 acres and less
to 22 acres on farms of 200 acres.
These figures were the averages from
573 farms surveyed in Livingston
county. The number of acres tilled
per horse was double on the big
farms than on the small farms and
the number of acres per \$100 worth
of machinery ranged from 15 on
small farms to 32 on large farms.
Beside this, there was a smaller
proportion of the invested capital
tied up in buildings on large farms
than on small ones. In New York
state the labor income is limited
more by size of business than by any
other one factor. This advantageous
increase in the size of business can-
not be carried on indefinitely, as
there is an upper limit. A farm
that is too large causes waste of
time in travel. The most profitable
farm is that which employs from
two to four men.

In a Jefferson county farm survey
one of the questions was, "where are
the farmer's sons?" It was found
that on the larger and more pros-
perous farms they were at home,
while on the smaller and unprofit-
able farms they had left home.
They showed a good judgment in
both cases. There is the answer to
the question: "How shall we keep
the boy on the farm?"

In discussing diversity of produc-
tion Prof. Livermore said that the
farm had problems that the city
business that could operate all the
year, regardless of weather or sea-
son, did not have. In such business
specializing paid. Farmers had got
the specializing idea from the city,
without stopping to realize that on a
farm one cannot do one thing all the
year. Even dairying, often cited as
an all-year business, had a big
gap in every few weeks, and one
year that made a full labor schedule
impossible. Investigation showed
that 25 to 50 per cent of the income
derived from crops and the remain-
der from stock gave that best labor
income. This provided the right pro-
portion of manure and permitted of
the utilizing of by products. There
are dairy farms that have not
enough land to take up the manure
production and the loss is almost as
serious as on a farm that does not
produce manure enough.

Diversity. Prof. Livermore said,
did not mean a little of a great many
things, but the specializing in from
two to four things. There are ex-
ceptions, in which highly specialized
farming is the only thing possible.
There are Delaware county farms
where there is so much land avail-
able only for pasture that dairying
is the only thing, while in Ulster
county there are fruit farms where
land values are so high and labor so
easily obtained in the harvest season
that it pays best to specialize in
fruit.

Charts showing the relation be-
tween stock crop production and
acreage were explained. In one
case where crop production was
high the receipts per cow amounted
to only \$52, which was a loss. This
man was feeding good crops to poor
cows and should weed out his herd.
Although crops were good, the
labor income showed a loss of
\$382.

Another farm with the same ac-
reage and the same number of cows
showed a labor income of \$1,391.
On his farm the cows showed earn-
ings of \$116 each. The labor cost
was less and better cows were kept,
causing a profit of a loss.

On another farm, half the size of
the two preceding, the cows gave an
income of \$111 each, but the labor
was used only one half the time on
productive work. There was not
enough to do to keep the labor busy
and the labor income showed a loss
of \$176.

On another farm on which crops
were poor there was an income of
\$130 per cow, labor was well oc-
cupied and there was a labor income
profit of \$362.

Success, said Prof. Livermore, de-
pends on size, production and di-
versity and utilizing labor. Find out
the weak points and study how to
remedy it. The tendency is for a
man to run to extremes in the thing
he is interested in. Therefore he
needs to study the things he is not
interested in and that are the weak
points.

Resolutions Adopted.

A resolution providing that pay-
ment of \$25 should entitle anyone
to life membership in the County
Farm Bureau Association was
adopted.

A resolution to elect officers by
votes sent in by mail was lost after
President Young said that the mem-
bers who did not have interest
enough to attend meetings should
not vote, a sentiment in which a
number of other concurred.

A resolution was adopted oppos-
ing the proposed cutting in half of the
state appropriation of \$25,000 for
maintenance of county farm bureaus.

First Vice President Hepworth,
asked to speak a few words, said the
Hudson Valley Fruit Exchange was

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48c Fleece-Mixed, Ribbed	39c
98c Wrights Fleece	79c
98c Roots Mixed Wool	79c
\$1.25 Roots Camel	99c
\$1.48 Roots Camel Wool	\$1.19
\$1.98 Roots Natural Wool	\$1.69

SWEATERS

Was.	Now.
50c Cotton	29c
58c Mixed	29c
\$1.95 Roll Collar & "V" Neck	\$1.59
\$2.85 All Colors	\$2.25
\$3.85 All Wool	\$2.98
\$4.85 Extra Heavy	\$3.98
\$6.85 Shaker Knit	\$5.50

SHIRTS

Was.	Now.
50c Odd Lot	29c
48c Princely and Jack Rabbit	39c
98c Emperor Dress	79c
\$1.50 Arrow Dress	\$1.15
\$1.95 Emperor Dress	\$1.59
\$2.50 Sample Flannel	\$1.59
\$2.85 Tub Silk	\$2.25

PANTS

Was.	Now.
98c Work	79c
\$1.48 Worsted	\$1.19
\$1.95 Extra Heavy	\$1.59
\$2.85 Blue Serge	\$2.25
\$3.85 Corduroy	\$2.98
\$4.85 Malone	\$3.98
\$6.85 Fine Worsted	\$5.50

CAPS and GLOVES

25c Men's and Boys' Gloves	19c
50c Caps, Mitts and Gloves	39c
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98c Knicker Pants	79c

succeeding and should have more

branches. In paying a tribute to
Vice President Jansen for his faith-
ful attendance, Mr. Hepworth said:
"He is always here and if all our
members were like him I would feel
proud of our farm bureau—and I
am not proud of it now."

The plan for school house meet-
ings was discussed by President
Young, who said the way to get
members was to get them. Five
cards had been sent to him and he
got busy on the telephone and in a
few minutes had the five new

members.

School Superintendent Andrews
said the district meetings plan he
had drawn up had not worked out in
exactly that form but he thought
that the spirit of it was being carried
out in a very satisfactory manner by
the meetings held by Manager Hook.

Daily Thought.

For manners are not idle but the
fruit of loyal nature and of noble
mind.—Tennison.

TAMENESS.

There are a vast number of
people who think they are vir-
tuous merely because they are
tame and inoffensive. Tame-
ness is not a virtue; it is merely
the absence of vice.—John Rus-
kin Blackie.

GRIT.

Grit is the grain of character.
It may generally be described as
heroism materialized—spirit and
will thrust into heart, brain and
backbone, so as to form part of
the physical substance of the
man.—Whipple.

MISFORTUNES.

Bear your own misfortunes
with half the resignation that
you bear other people's and
you will be happy. It is so easy
to tell other people how to be
heroic and so difficult to be
courageous ourselves.

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Liverwurst, 3 lbs.	25c
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Chuck Pot Roast, lb.	12½c
Jack Rabbits, cleaned, each	50c
Regular Hams, lb.	17c
Strip Bacon, lb.	19c
Cal. Hams, lb.	12c
Liver, lb.	10c
Bloodwurst, lb.	16c
Minced Ham, lb.	16c
Frankfurters, lb.	14c
Creamery Butter, lb.	30c
Gold Coin Creamery, lb.	27c
Premium Oleo, lb.	23c
Lily Oleo, 3 lbs.	50c
Cheese, lb.	18c
Limburger Cheese, lb.	22c
Fresh Eggs, doz.	29c
Borden's Cream, 3 cans	25c
Macaroni, Spaghetti, cans	25c
Egg Noodles, 3 boxes	25c
Lima Beans, 3 lbs.	25c
Soup Beans, 3 lbs.	25c
Wax Beans, can.	7c
Fancy Peas, can.	7c
Fancy Plums, can.	9c
Fancy Raspberries can	14c
Fancy Cherries, can.	10c
Window Klean, 4 cans	25c
Old Homestead Coffee, lb.	25c
7 Large Boxes Match's	25c
7 Rolls Toilet Paper	25c
Pork & Beans, 3 cans	25c
Sapoline, 6 boxes	25c
1 can Syrup	23c
1 box Buckwheat Flour	23c
1 can Peas	23c
6 boxes Sardines	25c
Post Toasties, 3 pkgs	25c
Shredded Wheat, 3 pkgs	25c
Force, pkg.	10c
Babbitt's Cleanser, 6,	25c

**HIGH SCHOOL TEAMS
WIN THREE GAMES**

Saturday the girls basketball team went down the river to Cornwall to play the girls of that town a return game of basketball. They returned the same evening reporting victory of 14 to 10. This is the first game of the season that has been played out of town. The team was cheered by Miss Cordes and Miss Siegel, who also officiated as umpire of the game. The girls deserve great credit for their victory as the Cornwall maidens showed considerable more prowess than when they were here a week ago and in the process of the game shot two field baskets from the center of the field. The line-up was as follows: Ruth Humphrey, c., Faith Safford, f., Lillian Herdman, f., Josephine Schmid, lg., Helen Wood, rg., High School, 28; Rhinebeck, 23.

Saturday evening in a game of basketball played between the varsity team of the Kingston high school and Rhinebeck, Kingston won by a score of 25 to 23. The battle was fought in the high school gymnasium and was a fast and furious struggle throughout. During the first part of the game the prospects of victory for the local team seemed slight, but a rally toward the end of the first half and steady playing throughout the second half saved the game. Rhinebeck puffed all their hopes on Briggs, who it must be admitted, is a wizard on the floor. During the game he gained approximately twice as many points as all the rest of his team put together, and without him the game would have been a walk-away for the high school boys. On the other hand there was little starring done in the Kingston ranks. Every man did his part, playing for the team and not for himself, and when it is realized that Rhinebeck has played several games this season, and that the locals are just opening their season, it is easy to see that here is another big victory.

The officials were C. H. Beckwith, referee for the high school; Mr. Ryan, umpire for the visitors. Timekeepers—H. Sharpe and Finley. Score—Rhinebeck, 23; Kingston, 25.

At the beginning of the second half the players with the maroon and white showed more "pep" and made up for lost time. During the half silverman took Kiernan's place and Kiernan replaced Palist. Later on Roseley was put in for Joyce. At times the Kingston boys were hard pressed for breath and twice during the half called for time out.

The lineup follows:
Kingston High School.
F. B. P. T. P.
Kiernan, f. 2 0 0 0
Dolson, f. 3 1 0 0
Palist, f. 1 0 0 0
Joyce, rg. 1 1 0 0
Palist, lg. 1 1 0 0
Roseley, rg. 1 0 0 0
Silverman, rg. 1 0 0 0
Total 10 3 0 0

Rhinebeck.
F. B. P. T. P.
Briggs, f. 3 0 0 0
Trimmer, f. 3 0 0 0
Vellie, f. 0 0 0 0
Tator, rg. 0 0 0 0
Riley, lg. 1 0 0 0
Total 7 0 0 0

High School Junior 38, Y. M. C. A. 13.
Before the big game Saturday evening there was a game of basketball between the High School Juniors and the Y. M. C. A. Student B team. The high school team made

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Stew Beef 16c lb
Sauerkraut 8c qt
3 Cans Sander's Tomato Soup, 25c
Comb Honey 15c
Jam and Jellies, 3 glasses 25c
3 Cans Ritten's Pork and Beans 25c
Highland Brand Tomatoes 15c

up mostly of very small fellows walked away from their somewhat larger opponents from the very start. The fast pass work which which they accomplished was worth, of much larger fellows.

During the second half there were several fellows taken out to give others in the squad a chance. Cassin took Smith's place. Martin for Kemble. George Schoonmaker for McAndrew. Becker for Hallinan. Whitaker for Kirchner.

Considering the time he was in the game, Martin played the best of any of the Y. M. C. A. boys. No one can be given special credit for winning the game for the high school as every player throughout the game gave up any chance he may have had for a slightly better chance of one of his colleagues.

The lineup follows:

High School Juniors.
F. B. P. T. P.
McAndrew, f. 5 1 1 1
Smith, f. 3 0 0 0
Hallinan, f. 7 0 14
Dwyer, rg. 0 0 0 0
Kirchner, lg. 1 4 6
Cassin, f. 1 1 1 1
Total 16 6 38

Student B of Y. M. C. A.
F. B. P. T. P.
Thompson, f. 0 0 0 0
Kemble, f. 0 0 0 0
Huestis, f. 0 1 1
F. Schoonmaker, rg. 0 0 6
Igner, lg. 0 0 0
Martin, f. 3 9 6
Total 6 1 19

SOCIETY NOTES.

Mr. and Mrs. Horton Wilson entertained a number of their friends at their home, No. 194 Tremper avenue, on Friday evening. During the evening under the leadership of Frank Hyatt "The Old Hickory Quartet" rendered a number of selections. The evening was most delightfully spent with music and games and at a late hour refreshments were served.

A surprise party was tendered Mrs. Daisy Robinson of No. 34 Pine street the other evening, and all had a most enjoyable time playing games and dancing. Refreshments were served. Those present were the Misses Goldie and Josephine Eush, Helen and Lillian Rorrick, Loretta Myers, Harriet Whitaker, Ethel Kastner, Leona Delaney, Genevieve Norton, Pearl Hommel and the Messrs. Harry and Harold Hyatt, Ira and Ralph Edsworth, Edward Delaney, Herbert Hargreaves, Harry Krom, Sander Brooks, Norwood Humphrey, and Dale Auchmoody.

Kijikuit Club Meeting.
The regular meeting of the Kijikuit Club will be held tomorrow, Tuesday evening, at 7:45 o'clock sharp, at the home of Miss Beatrice Oldham, No. 204 Downs street. This meeting will be of special interest, as planned by Mrs. Read and there will be important business to be transacted. Every girl in the club is asked to be present.

Dinner At Stuyvesant.
Several of the officers, a few members of the Federation of Women's Clubs and their guests of honor, Mrs. Anna P. L. Field of Brooklyn, and Mrs. Howard Gillespie of Saucier, enjoyed a dinner at The Stuyvesant Saturday noon, adjourning later to the chapel of the First Dutch Church, where the regular quarterly general federation meeting was held. Mrs. Winne of The Stuyvesant had secured a portion of the spacious dining room for the women who were seated at two long tables. Those present were Mrs. C. K. Boulton, Mrs. Field, Mrs. Howard Gillespie, Mrs. Joan W. Seuring, Mrs. Vered B. Van Wagonen, Mrs. Hyman Rosas, Mrs. N. D. Murphy, Mrs. W. N. Fessenden, Miss Mary Baker, Dr. Mary Gage-Day, Mrs. W. Scott Gillespie, Mrs. Simmons, Mrs. Terry, Mrs. Weed, Mrs. M. J. Michael, Mrs. Meagher, Mrs. De La Verne, Mrs. Charles Ellis, Mrs. John Brodhead, Mrs. Leighton, Miss Katharine Van Kenyon, Mrs. Frank Merritt and Mrs. C. N. Reed. Clever place cards showing wisdom in the form of four grave words under one protecting cover, were expressive of the reception and dissemination of knowledge, in their differing attitudes. The elaborate course dinner was exceptionally delicious, even for The Stuyvesant, and was admirably served.

Bar Association Dinner.

At the thirty-ninth annual dinner of the New York State Bar Association, at the Hotel Astor, Saturday evening, Judge Clearwater presided and paid a warm tribute to Senator Elihu Root, in whose honor the dinner was given by the association. The judge also presided at the meeting at the Astor at which Justice Hughes delivered the annual address on Friday. At the dinner to Senator Root the other speakers were Judge Jacob M. Dickinson, formerly secretary of war, who is now in Chicago; Henry L. Stimson, who was secretary of war in President Taft's cabinet; Judge Charles Bond, of the court of appeals; Robert C. Smith, chief counsel, the leader of the bar of New York; and several other distinguished lawyers at the

guests' table. Among them were: Edgar M. Cullen, formerly chief justice of the court of appeals; Judge Benjamin R. Cardozo, of that court; John Proctor Knott, presiding judge of the appellate division of the first department; Albert W. Jenks, presiding judge of the appellate division of the second department; George Henry Tucker, of Virginia; Francis Rawie of Pennsylvania; Richard V. Lindabury of New Jersey; A. W. Atwater, battonnier of the Province of Quebec, Canada; Norman J. O'Brien, formerly presiding judge of the appellate division in the first department; George W. Wickesham, Henry W. Taft, Alton B. Parker, formerly chief justice of the court of appeals; Peter W. Moldrin, leader of the bar of Georgia; and Francis Lynde Stimson.

In Its Larger Aspects.
Another favorite way which the small, round-headed man who can't see the other side of any given question any more than if it weren't there at all has of introducing his remarks is to say something about viewing the matter in its larger aspects.—Ohio State Journal.

Mean Retort.
Discontented Wife—"Several of the men whom I refused when I married you are richer than you are now."
Husband—"That's why."—Boston Transcript.

His Last Excuse.
When a man hasn't any other excuse for being unreasonable he says he's holding out for principle.

Impossible to Forgive.
We may forgive those who were us, we cannot forgive those whom we were.—La Rochefoucauld.

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An organization of dairymen who supply the citizens of Kingston with milk, made on farms in the vicinity of the city, representing an outlay of capital in farms, machinery, stock, feed and equipment amounting to more than \$1,500,000, beg leave to announce that the extensive property, business and rights of the Kingston Dairy & Ice Cream Company, on Downs street, has been secured, enabling us to deal directly with the consumers of Kingston.

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It is our intention to deliver Pasteurized Grade A Milk at the same price as is now charged for Grade B Raw Milk, viz., 8 Cents Per Quart. This grade of milk is now sold in Poughkeepsie at 9 cents per quart, and in New York city at 12 cents per quart.

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The pasteurization of dairy products is an expensive addition to our enterprise, and it would be folly to attribute a keen desire on our part to spend money for any unusual purpose, but a careful study of the trend of public sentiment, fortified by the frequent bulletins of the State Department of Health, urging the universal pasteurizing of these important articles of diet, has convinced our members that sooner or later this requirement will be made compulsory, and probably come at a time that would either compel the dairymen to accept a lower price for his product or the consumer be required to pay more for it. Happily conditions have so come about that both of these emergencies will be avoided. Under our enterprise the consumers of Kingston will be enabled to deal directly with the producers, eliminating considerable expense of distribution, and by handling larger quantities in one place, sufficient can be saved to produce better and purer articles without increasing the price.

Laws have been enacted, and Departments have been created in many of the states, as well as by the National Government, to encourage organizations such as ours. In the Empire State there are many already dealing with the people directly in the disposition of their own products.

In becoming a part of the commercial energy of the city we solicit confidence and patronage to the extent the worthiness and price of our products commend themselves to the public.

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**REPORT OF THE CONDITION
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At Kingston, in the State of New York, at the close of business, Dec. 31, 1915.

Assets	Liabilities
Loans and discounts	Deposits
Real estate	Notes and bills
U. S. bonds	Other liabilities
Securities	Capital
Other assets	Reserve fund
Total	Total

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2:45, 7:30, 9:00TODAY
"The Toast of Death"A farcical comedy featuring
WILL LOUISE GLAUM and
HARRY KEENAN.Tuesday, Jan. 18
J. Stuart Blackton and Albert
Smith present

"The Dust of Egypt"

A "The Four" production in 5
parts with EDITH STOREY and
ANTONIO MORENO.Wednesday, Jan. 19
"A Yankee From the West"An American drama of today
with SHIRLEY AXEN and WIL-
LACE REID.Thursday, Jan. 20
"THE REWARD"A drama of stage life with
BESSIE BARRISCALE.Friday, Jan. 21
J. Stuart Blackton and Albert
Smith present, the Vitaphone
Blue Ribbon Feature"The Man Who Couldn't Eat Cold
Food" MAURICE COSTELLOSaturday, Jan. 22
"INFATUATION"A drama of the stage with
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The consumption of salt in the United States amounts to almost 100 pounds per capita, a huge proportion of the whole going into various manufacturing processes. Discovery of tremendous new fields has served to keep the price consistently falling.

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SUPREME COURT, ULSTER COUNTY.

George L. LeFever against Harry Axelrod & wife.
In pursuance of and by virtue of a decree and judgment of foreclosure and sale entered in this action on the 17th day of January, 1916, and on that day entered in the county clerk's office, I, the undersigned, referee duly appointed for such purpose, will sell at public auction at the front door of the court house, Kingston city, Ulster county, New York on the 4th day of March, 1916, at twelve o'clock noon of that day the following lands and premises, being the same as described in the complaint and judgment in this action, viz: ALL THAT TRACT OR PARCEL OF LAND situated in the town of Rosendale, county of Ulster and state of New York, on the south side of the main street or public highway leading through the village of Rosendale, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at the southeasterly corner of a lot belonging to Mary C. Garabrant formerly and formerly owned by Catherine Constance, from thence running along the same north seven degrees east one hundred and thirty feet to the center of said public highway, thence through the same south eighty-three and one-half degrees east thirty-seven feet and six inches, thence south seven degrees west one hundred and thirty feet thence north eighty-three and one-half degrees west thirty-seven feet and six inches to the place of beginning, being a lot thirty-seven feet and six inches front and rear and one hundred and thirty feet deep.

Dated, January 17th, 1916.
EVERETT FOWLER,
Referee.

**MISSING AMERICAN REPORTED
ASSASSINATED BY ORDER OF
VILLA.**

Peter Keene, American manager of the Rosadora Ranch, in Chihuahua, Mexico, the property of W. R. Hearst, who was missing after an attack on the ranch several weeks ago, is reported to have been killed by order of Villa.

W. R. VAN WAGONER,
Attorney for Plaintiff,
22 Main St., Kingston, N. Y.

Optimistic Thought.

The worth of a state is the worth of the individuals composing it.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

County of Ulster, ss.:
By virtue of an execution issued out of the Ulster county court of the state of New York, to me directed and delivered, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of Ella L. Johnston, I have seized and taken all the right, title and interest of said defendant in and to the following described property, to wit: All that lot or parcel of land, situate in the village and town of Gardiner, Ulster county, New York, described as follows: Bounded on the north by North street, on the east by the lot of John Lyons, on the south by lands of Elizabeth D. Ething and on the west by lot of John S. Rosencrans, being designated as lots numbers 3 and 4 in block No. 9 on map made by Abram J. Ferris, surveyor for Charles Reynolds, general assessor of Ulster county, and filed in the Ulster county clerk's office April 20th, 1892, and numbered 304. The parcel of land is sold subject to the lien of Millard Elmsendorf which will expire on the 1st day of February, 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the front door of the Ulster county court house in the city of Kingston, N. Y. Dated this 17th day of January, 1916.
EDGAR T. SHULTS,
Sheriff.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing under the firm name of Whitbeck & Hunt, painters and decorators, has been dissolved by mutual consent, and that the business will be continued by the undersigned at 21 Beekman street.

FREDERICK D. HUNT.

To the stockholders of The Lawrence Creamery Company: Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of The Lawrence Creamery Company will be held at the principal office of the company, No. 22 Main street, in the city of Kingston, N. Y., on Wednesday, February 2nd, 1916, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing five trustees of the company to serve for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting. Transfer books will be closed from February 1st to February 2nd, 1916, both days inclusive.

Dated, Kingston, N. Y., January 16, 1916.
E. E. MCKENNA,
Secretary.

MONDAY, JANUARY 17.

Sun rises, 7:22; sets, 4:53.
Weather, clear, following light snow. Humidity, 45 to 61.

The Temperature.

The lowest point registered by the Freeman's thermometer last night was 11 degrees. The highest point registered up to noon today was 21 degrees.

Weather Forecast.

Washington, Jan. 17.—Eastern New York: Fair, continued cold to night. Tuesday fair, not so cold. Fresh to strong westerly winds.

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Rutabagas, pk.	20c
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Red Onions, 3 qts.	10c

MINSTREL TICKETS SELLING RAPIDLY

There are but a few reserved seats left for the Elks Minstrels this evening and Tuesday evening. The rapidity of the advance sale was a surprise to everybody and is evidence that the public feels sure of an entertainment which will equal anything in the professional line to be given here this winter.

Special interest attaches to the play "King Cole's Kingdom" which forms the last part of the program. This skit was written by Mrs. George Chandler and will be played by a cast of the cleverest amateurs in the city. Even grim war has its humorous side and the action of this little sketch deals with such mighty matters as kings and bombs and armies in a manner that gives no offense, but adds to the gaiety of nations.

The costumes, furnished by A. W. Tams of New York, have arrived and are remarkably handsome and appropriate. Mrs. Robert A. Liscum will act as wardrobe mistress.

No Heirs to \$10,000.

Because no heirs have been found, the \$10,000 estate of the late Mrs. Ella Kavanagh, of Nyack, may revert to the state.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

Elmer Palen will have at his next sale Tuesday, January 18, at 652-684 Broadway, Kingston, N. Y., a carload of good second-hand horses from New York in addition to his regular run of commission horses.

SIX AND ONE-HALF PER CENT DIVIDEND has been declared by the Home-Seeker's Co-Operative Savings & Loan Association. A new series of stock opens on February 7th. Now is the time to subscribe. Call at the Secretary's office, No. 23 Broadway.

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POULTRY SHOW IS HELD IN HIGHLAND

With 107 specimens, representing 15 different breeds on exhibition, the poultry show staged in the carpentry room of the Highland high school proved a great success. Upwards of 200 were in attendance, and D. W. Young, of Monroe, who judged the fowls, made the awards as follows:

Best cock of show (Barred Rock), L. Miller.
Best hen (White Leghorn), Ben. Johnson.
Best cockerel (White Wyandotte), Ben. Elting.
Best pullet (White Orpington), H. Wilcox.
1. Cock—Bert Elting.
2. Cock—W. J. Weaver.
1. Hen—Ben. Johnson.
2. Hen—Bert Elting.
1. Cockerel—Bert Elting.
2. Cockerel—W. J. Weaver.
1-2. Pullet—Bert Elting.
These were all White Leghorns.
1. Buff Rock Hen—Bert Elting.
1. White Minorca Cockerel—George Chase.

1. White Rock Cockerel—George Chase.
1. White Rock Pullet—George Chase.
These birds of Mr. Chase's all won first prize at the Madison Square Garden last week.
1. Cock—Ed. Miller.
1. Hen—Ed. Miller.
1. Cockerel—Highland High School.
2. Cockerel—Miss A. Terwilliger.

2. Pullet—High School.
These were all Barred Rocks.
1. Cock—Tom Plant.
2. Cock—Charles Miller.
1-2. Hen—Josiah Schoonmaker.
1-2. Pullet—Hurr Palmateer.
1. Cockerel—Tom Plant.
2. Cockerel—Peter Schantz.
These birds were Rhode Island Reds.

White Orpington.

1. Cock—O. Shelly.
1. Hen—H. E. Wilcox.
2. Hen—O. Shelly.
1. Cockerel—H. E. Wilcox.
1. Pullet—H. E. Wilcox.
Black Minorca.
1. Cock—D. H. Merritt.
2. Cock—William Decker.
1-2. Hen—William Decker.

Trios.

1. Trio Buff Rock—D. H. Merritt.
1. Trio Buff Orpington—Duke Wiley.
1. Trio Rose Comb—White Leghorn—Charles Collins.
1. Trio Brown Leghorn—George Thompson.
1. Rhode Island Whites—Albert Martin.
1. Trio Ancona—Virgil Perkins.
1. Brahmas—Charles Miller.

LYONSVILLE.

Lyonsville, Jan. 17.—Asa W. Taylor, who collected, was at the store of H. Wager on Friday to collect taxes. Jesse J. Christian was his assistant.
James Townbridge has employment at Nanoch. His family moved there on Tuesday, where they will keep house.
Some of the farmers are busy drawing lime from the lime kiln of John Basteen at Stone Ridge.

Miss May Markle spent Wednesday with her sister, Mrs. Ray Davis. Jacob H. Bailey has purchased a new automobile, Hudson 1916 Model, 6 cylinder. He will bring the machine home as soon as the roads are in condition.

Among the Kingston visitors on Saturday from this place were Mrs. E. Davis and son, Ray, and Mrs. L. A. Alexander and son, Otto.

OLIVERIA.

Oliveria, Jan. 17.—Grade examinations will be held in the public school here next Thursday and Friday.
Miss Butler, our new teacher, spent Saturday and Sunday at her home in Kingston.

The town collector, Fred Russell of Mt. Pleasant, was at the Mountain House Friday receiving taxes.

Henry Jacobson of Chichester was a visitor here Saturday.

It is said that special services may be held in the Methodist Episcopal Church for a couple of weeks, commencing soon.

Mrs. George E. Jocelyn is in New Jersey for a few weeks' stay with her son and daughter.

Fire and Water.

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PORT EWEN.

Port Ewen, Jan. 17.—Mrs. Maude Walker and mother, Mrs. Tillson, of Green street, have gone to Syracuse to visit relatives for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Atkins of Broadway spent the week end with friends in Poughkeepsie.

A cabinet and business meeting of the Epworth League will be held Tuesday evening in the chapel at 7:30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. James Madison of Poughkeepsie spent the week end with Mrs. Madison's mother, Mrs. Viola Taylor, on Broadway.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Wesley Van Wagenen, who are spending the winter in Poughkeepsie were guests of their son, Lester Van Wagenen, on Green street.

Port Ewen Lodge, No. 656, I. O. O. F., will meet this evening at 7:30 o'clock in their rooms in Pythian Hall.

Little Miss Bernice May Craig of Poughkeepsie is the guest of her aunt, Miss Mae Horton, on Broadway.

William Hinkley, who passed away very suddenly at his home on Riverside avenue Saturday, January 8, leaves to mourn his loss three sons and three daughters, William of Kingston, Mrs. Moses Evers of Kingston, Mrs. Elmy Robinson of Peekskill and Mrs. Harry Winne of Andes. His funeral, which was private, was held Thursday at his late residence. Interment in Port Ewen cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Schoonmaker and daughter, Ethelyn, of Schryver street, were guests of Mrs. Schoonmaker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Silas W. Honk, on Riverside avenue, on Sunday.

The "Goo Goo" Club of this village will hold their third annual dance in Pythian Hall this evening. These young men are desirous of seeing all lovers of "twirling" at the hall tonight, as they are looking forward to a jolly good time of pleasure and fun.

McLean's full orchestra of Kingston will furnish the music, and every effort has been put forth by the committee to make this dance the "hit of the season."

Mrs. Martin Saunders of Rhinebeck spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. James I. Van Aken on Riverside avenue.

Miss Jeanette Doyle of Kingston was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Le Grand Doyle, on Riverside avenue on Sunday.

Mrs. Christopher Ricks is ill at her home on Salem street.

A meeting of the Sunday school board of the Methodist Church will be held Wednesday evening at the home of George W. Shults on Broadway.

The Epworth League Society of the Methodist Church will hold a "Dime Social" at the home of Mrs. John Lynde on Hamilton street, Tuesday evening, January 25. Kindly keep this date in mind and all who can be present at this social and help along a most worthy cause, whose motto is: "Look Up and Lift Up."

Frederick Cornack and Maurice Cornack of New York City spent the week end with their mother, Mrs. Mariah Cornack, on Broadway.

A meeting will be held in the chapel of the Methodist Church this evening at 7 o'clock to elect a lay electoral delegate to conference.

At the service held in the Methodist Church last evening, the Rev. Eugene A. Bookhout and his congregation were surprised and overwhelmedly pleased to welcome the congregation of the Reformed Church at the evening service.

Their presence and the presence also of several members of the Connely congregation was a great stimulus to all. Professor Phillips sang two solos, which were well rendered, and the duet, "The King of Love My Shepherd Is," sung by Miss Mildred Olsen and Professor Phillips, was grand, their voices blending beautifully, and their articulation was so clear, also the duet by Professor Phillips and Mrs. Josephine Hotaling, "Somebody Cares," was fine.

Miss Harriet Olsen was the accompanist and she played with grace and ease. The entire service is one long to be remembered by the spiritual impress on all present.

Division No. 1 of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist Church will hold an entertainment and social, Tuesday evening, February 1. Further particulars will be announced later.

Will Repeat Good Entertainment.

"Striking Oil, or the Family Mix-up," which was presented to a large and delighted audience at the Clinton Avenue Methodist Episcopal Church parlors on January 7th, will be repeated on Friday evening, January 21st, at the request of a large number of members of the congregation and their friends. The entertainment is one of the best amateur theatrical efforts presented in Kingston in a long time.

PLATTEKILL.

Plattekill, Jan. 17.—A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry P. Gerow Thursday, January 13.

During the next three months the meetings of the Christian Service Society of the Plattekill Methodist Church will be held Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Sunday school room.

Ernest Terwilliger of Poughkeepsie spent several days recently with his aunt, Mrs. A. D. Wager.

Macabee Association Dance.

A dance will be given by the Red Side of the Women's Benefit Association of the Macabees following the meeting tonight at Mechanics Hall, Henry street. The public is invited and a small admission fee will be charged. The meeting begins at 7:30 o'clock and dancing at 9 o'clock.

Hudson Tuition Fees Increased.

The board of education has increased tuition rates at the Hudson high school to \$20 a year for non-resident pupils because of additional cost of maintaining the new high school building. A registration fee of \$5 was charged previously.

Coach For the Army Team.

Captain Ernest Graves of the engineer corps has been chosen head coach for the Army football team.

MENKE'S DAILY SPORTING LETTER

(By Frank G. Menke.)

New York, Jan. 17.—Gotham fans are "pulling" for Harry F. Sinclair and James E. Gaffney to secure a controlling interest in the New York Giants.

The fans realize that only through a change in ownership can the Giants be strengthened to a point where they will be sure to be contenders for the pennant. They know that the roster of the Giants at the present time does not indicate that the club will do much better in 1916 than it did last season when it finished in the cellar.

Harry Hempstead, present owner of the Giants, is one of the finest sportsmen in the game today. He has been actively interested in the game since the death of his father-in-law, John T. Brush. He has figured conspicuously in a baseball way during the past three years, yet never once has a smudge appeared on his record. Hempstead is clean—clear through—and he has been an honor to the game.

New Yorkers would regret the passing of Hempstead, yet with the coming of Sinclair into the National League and the re-entry of Jim Gaffney they would be blessed with two sportsmen who rank in Hempstead's class—two thoroughbreds who can win—or lose—without a whimper: who love the game for the game's sake.

Hempstead's Plight.

Hempstead has found pleasure in baseball—and profit. Yet he realizes that he is placed in a peculiar position now. The fact that the Giants finished in the cellar last year does not enthrall the fans here over the 1916 prospects of the club. Hempstead willingly would pay a big sum to secure some of the Federal stars, if he could get them, in an effort to bolster up the team. But the chances are he cannot. Without them his 1916 team looks no better than a second division outfit. And New Yorkers won't support such a club.

But in case of change in ownership the situation would be vastly different. Sinclair controls the services of about 30 or 35 of the best players in the Federal League. Of this number at least 25 ought to land major league berths this year. Sinclair would keep the pick of his "string," if he secured the Giants, and turn them over to John McGraw. Included in this list would be Marge Kauf, Nick Cullop, the left-handed twirler, Fred Anderson, Ed. Konetchy, the first sacker, Rousch and Scheer, the outfielders who performed in sensational style for the Newark Feds last year, and several others.

What Sinclair Could Do.

With such a squad of players, added to six or seven of the stars of the present Giant outfit, McGraw would have a team that ought to rank as a world-beater—a team that ought to put the Giants back on the map again in a baseball way.

And so it is because Sinclair and Gaffney can bring with them a team that the Gothams are yearning for a change in ownership. They honor him for his sportsmanship in the other years, but most of all, New York wants a winner. Hempstead, it seems, cannot give it to them. Sinclair and Gaffney can.

And so the Giant fans want Sinclair and Gaffney to come and lead the team out of the vale of defeat—up to the crest of baseball.

1916 Gaint Line-up?

What would the Giant line-up in 1916 be like if Sinclair secured control of the club and turned over all his players to John McGraw?

Well, John would have the choice of the following for his outfielders: Benny Kauf, the demon clown; Dave Robertson, who gave real promise in the Giant outfit in 1915; Jack Dalton, former Brooklyn Dodger who played with the Buffalo Feds last year; George Bur, ranked as the greatest outfielder in the National League in 1914; Ed. Housch and Al Scheer, of the Newark Feds, who were regarded as among the greatest outfielders in the Federal League; Vin Campbell, the slugger, with the Newark Feds last year; Al Shaw and Art Gilmore, with the Kansas City Feds in 1915; and three or four others.

In the infield, McGraw could choose from his 1915 regulars in addition to the following Feds: Lee Magee, who played a sensational game at second base and shortstop for the Brooklyn Feds, and who finished second in the league batting; Ed. Konetchy, with the 1915 Pittsburgh Feds, once ranked as the greatest first baseman in the National League; Hal Chase, with the 1915 Buffalo Feds, regarded as the flashiest fielding first baseman the game has ever known; Jack Esmond, once with the Reds, who shone with especial brilliance at short for the Newark Feds; and a half dozen others.

Tom Seaton, of the Brookfeds; Cullop and Packard, who pitched great ball for the Kansas City Feds; Fred Anderson, the star of the Buffalo pitching staff; Moselet, Ruelbach, Moran, Kaiserling and Falkenberg, also of Newark, who starred for Newark in 1915, and three or four other Fed stars would be at the disposal of McGraw in the welding together of a 1916 pitching staff for the Giants.

Yes, Oscar, if Sinclair bought the Giants, the Giants would have quite a ball club.

ULSTER PARK.

Ulster Park, Jan. 17.—At the annual meeting of the Christian Endeavor held at the home of Leslie Herring Monday evening the following officers were elected for the next six months: President, George Eckert; vice president, Leslie Herring; secretary, Kenneth Van Oostenbrugge; treasurer, Mrs. J. H. Van Vleet; organist, Julia Churchwell; assistant organist, H. V. Story; committee—Lookout, Mrs. George Eckert; prayer meeting, H. V. Story; mission, C. Van Oostenbrugge; information, Mrs. G. DeGraff; social, Julia Churchwell; flower, Mrs. W. Terpening; ushers, Ernest Eckert and Kenneth Van Oostenbrugge.

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TABLE NO. 2, 69c.	TABLE NO. 5, 12 1/2c.	TABLE NO. 8, 97c.
Skirts, Gowns, Corset Covers and Brassieres, regular \$1.00 values at 69c.	Embroidery, Edging, Insertion and Beading, value 15c to 25c, at 12 1/2c yd.	Silk Messaline Petticoats in Colors, value \$1.50 to \$1.97, at 97c.
TABLE NO. 3, 88c.	TABLE NO. 6, 25c.	TABLE NO. 9, 49c.
Combination Skirts and Gowns, regular \$1.00 to \$1.25, at 88c.	All-over Embroideries, Edging and Banding, value 25c to 69c, at 25c yd.	White and colored Shirt Waists, value 69c and 97c, at 49c.
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Sizes 24, 26, 28. Value 25c, to close out at... 19c	26 Broadway, Kingston	\$1.25 Bed Spreads... 88c \$1.50 Bed Spreads... \$1.15 \$1.97 Bed Spreads... \$1.55 \$2.97 Bed Spreads... \$2.35

their meeting Friday at the home of Mrs. H. V. Story at 2:30 p. m. All are invited to attend.

The leader of the Christian Endeavor next Sunday night will be Mrs. J. Van Vleet, topic, "Amusement That Is Worth While." Eccl. 3:1-15. Preaching service next Sunday evening in the Brick Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wells and Victoria Lust spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Eckert.

Miss Jennie Terpening spent a few days of last week with her sister-in-law, Mrs. E. Terpening, of Kingston.

WEST PARK.

West Park, Jan. 17.—Frank Ackert, Wells Dumont, Frank Green, Jr., Webster Jones Jr., and Jesse Jones attended the dance which was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver H. Smith at Black Creek on Friday evening.

Miss Bridget Quinn left for New York city on Wednesday.

LeRoy Terwilliger son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Terwilliger, is ill at his home.

Mrs. George Green spent Friday out of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Drake visited their nephew, Frank Gans, at Highland on Thursday evening.

Richard Miller of Port Ewen was in town on Sunday.

Mrs. Eliza Travis has returned to her home at Peekskill after visiting in town.

Mrs. Humphrey S. Jones has returned after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Osterhout.

Miss Goldie Cudney is visiting at her home in this place.

Frank Coutant entertained his mother from Highland on Thursday.

Mrs. Thomas Ryan, who is ill, is improving at this writing under the care of Dr. George Ross of Port Ewen.

Mrs. Alice Dumont spent Saturday at Poughkeepsie.

Miss Hazel Ackert spent Tuesday out of town.

Mrs. Frank Valli is home from St. Francis Hospital, Poughkeepsie.

Jesse Jones spent Saturday at Poughkeepsie.

KRUNVILLE.

Krumville, Jan. 17.—The shilling party which was to be held at the home of Frank Lyons Wednesday evening, January 19, has been postponed until later on account of sickness.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Merrihew of Tonsore spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lyons.

Nelson Lyons of New Paltz is spending a few days with relatives and friends in this place.

Mrs. Frank Lyons spent Wednesday with her niece, Mrs. Benjamin Davis.

Lester Davis, son of Stephen Davis, has a very severe attack of appendicitis and has been taken to Kingston for an operation.

Those who attended the party at James Greene's Lyonsville, from this place, reported a fine time.

crooked politics and a reformation. Tickets for the supper will be 25 cents. Admission to the entertainment will be 10 cents for adults and 5 cents for children.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hasbrouck, Sr. left Saturday for Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.

Mrs. E. T. Miller was a visitor in Poughkeepsie on Friday.

Mrs. Raymond Yeager and daughter spent a few days the past week with friends in this place.

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